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W. G. WILSON,
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All are pleased to note that Mrs. Ward, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, is on the way to recovery.

Mr. Henry Huffman, who has been wintering at the fashionable watering places in Florida, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Diamond, of Batavia, N. Y., spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amey were the guests of Mayor Newman, of Picton, during part of their stay in that progressive town recently.

The Yarker Orchestra that gave the programme at the Box Social held here recently, was greatly appreciated. Mr. Ferrier, Manager of the Yarker Branch of the Bank of Montreal, acted as chairman, and filled the position admirably and proved a good entertainer.

Mr. J. B. Lucas celebrated his 80th birthday on March 25th, when a number of his intimate friends dropped in for the occasion and were right royally entertained by Mr. Lucas and family. Mr. Lucas enjoys the distinction of being the oldest resident of Moscow and his entertaining stories of early pioneer life in this section, makes a visit to his home interesting indeed.

PUBLIC NOTICE

To milk delivery and all other loaded vehicles. During the month of April no vehicle having a carrying capacity exceeding one ton shall carry a load in excess of one half the rated carrying capacity of such vehicle, while upon any highway. Otherwise parties will be prosecuted. By order,

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Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for $100.00. If tender is accepted this sum will be credited to the purchase price of the land. If tender is not accepted the money will be returned to the tenderer.

Tenders will be opened at Toronto on May 4th, 1923.

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THE SOLDIER SETTLEMENT BOARD OF CANADA
F. D. SHAVER.
District Superintendent.

Dated at 32 Adelaide St., E. Toronto, this 29th day of March, 1923. 19-c

LENNOX AND ADDINGTON BASEBALL LEAGUE MEETS

A meeting of Lennox and Addington baseball league was held in the Campbell House on Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of drawing up a schedule for the coming season. Members were present from all the clubs interested, Napanee, Selby, Adolphustown, Odessa, Newburgh, Yarker, Enterprise and Tamworth. The league is being divided into two groups, the northern or Adolphustown group, and the southern or Lennox group. Each group drew up its schedule and at the end of the season the winners of each group play off for the championship. The Lennox and Addington baseball league is being affiliated with the O.B.A.A., and the ultimate winners will then engage in semi-finals with winners of other groups. The league gets away to an early start. The first game is on May 16th. Each of the clubs interested intends to produce as strong a team as the possibly can, and no doubt the baseball lovers will be treated to some interesting games this summer. The officers of the league were elected as follows: Hon. Presidents, A. MacGregor, Mayor; J. S. Johnston, warden of Addington county, and the members of the federal and provincial governments; president, M. P. Graham, Napanee; vice-president, Fred Hunter, Enterprise; secretary-trasurer, W. P. McLaughlin, Napanee. The executive of the league consists of the manager and secretary of each club.

LENNOX GROUP.

Selby at Napanee—May 16.
Adolphustown at Odessa—May 16th.
Napanee at Adolphustown—May 23rd.
Odessa at Selby—May 24th.
Napanee at Odessa—May 30th.
Selby at Adolphustown—May 30th.
Napanee at Selby—June 6th.
Odessa at Adolphustown—June 6th.
Adolphustown at Napanee—June 13th.
Selby at Odessa—June 13th.
Odessa at Napanee—June 20th.
Adolphustown at Selby—June 20th.
Selby at Napanee—June 27th.
Adolphustown at Odessa—June 27th.
Napanee at Adolphustown—July 2nd.
Odessa at Selby—July 2nd.
Napanee at Odessa—July 11th.
Selby at Adolphustown—July 11th.
Napanee at Selby—July 18th.
Odessa at Adolphustown—July 18th.
Adolphustown at Napanee—July 25th.
Selby at Odessa—July 25th.
Odessa at Napanee—August 1st.
Adolphustown at Selby—August 1st.

ADDINGTON GROUP

Tamworth at Newburgh—May 16th.
Enterprise at Yarker—May 19th.
Newburgh at Enterprise—May 23rd.
Yarker at Tamworth—May 24th
Tamworth at Yarker—May 30th.
Enterprise at Newburgh—May 30th.
Yarker at Newburgh—June 4th.
Enterprise at Tamworth—June 6th.
Newburgh at Tamworth—June 13th.
Yarker at Enterprise—June 13th.
Tamworth at Enterprise—June 20th.
Newburgh at Yarker—June 23rd.
Newburgh at Tamworth—June 27th.
Yarker at Enterprise—June 30th.
Enterprise at Newburgh—July 4th.
Tamworth at Yarker—July 7th.
Yarker at Tamworth—July 11th
Newburgh at Enterprise—July 11th.
Tamworth at Enterprise—July 18th.
Newburgh at Yarker—July 21st
Tamworth at Newburgh—July 25th.
Enterprise at Yarker—July 28th.
Yarker at Newburgh—August 1st.
Enterprise at Tamworth—August 1st.

It is easy to spoil a good hardwood floor. For proper instructions ask at WALLACE'S. Special agents for Johnson's Floor Wax and Johnson's Wood Finishings.

ODESSA.

Miss Bernice Henderson, Sunbury, spent her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henderson.

Albert Judge, Smithville, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Judge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Desoronto, spent the week-end with relaties.

The Napanee Historical Society offered prizes for the High School pupils here, for the best composition on the township of Ernesttown. The first prize was won by Miss Edith Shibley. Mr. Herrington, K.C., Napanee, was the judge.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stuard and family are visiting relatives in Toronto.

Miss Edna O'Neill is visiting relatives in Sydenham.

The out-of-town teachers spent the holidays at their homes. Messrs. Robert and Edward Earl, at Smithville, and Miss Ridley and Miss White, Toronto.

Miss Fern Sproule is visiting Miss Zita Kenyon, Millbrook.

J. C. Parrott has returned from visiting his son, Ross Parrott, Midland.

B. J. Oswald spent a few days recently in Toronto.

BATH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of Bath Municipal Council was held in the Town Hall, April 5th, at 8 p.m., all the members present, the Reeve presiding.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and confirmed.

The following bills were presented and on motion of J. N. Osborne, seconded by F. H. Lloyd, were ordered to be paid: J. A. Tomkins, 1 load of wood, poor relief, $1.00; John Thompson, two months salary, $30.00; John Thompson, shovelling snow, Kennedy's lot $8.00; John Thompson shovelling snow Mink's lot, $7.00; Boyle & Son, Napanee, part of contract for new heating system in school building, $300.00; J. N. Osborne, repairs to fire extinguishers, 85c; R. J. Gait, 1 load of wood poor relief $6.00; Robt. Stevenson, groceries poor relief, $13.40; F. P. Shephard, monies advanced for birth certificates, $1.45.

Mr. Norman Rikley was present and asked the Council for a reduction in Pool Room rent.

Moved by F. H. Lloyd, seconded by Chas. Hoselton, that owners of pool tables in Bath shall hereafter pay the sum of twenty-five dollars for the first table and ten dollars for each additional table and that the By-law be amended accordingly. Carried.

The Roads and Bridges Committee reported through Mr. Hoselton, showing about seventy dollars spent this season on snow shovelling on roads, and recommending payment of bills for March from W. W. Rikley and W. Mills. Report adopted.

The Poor Relief Committee reported through Mr. Osborne stating work done this winter and recommending payment of bills for month of March. Report adopted.

Mr. Lloyd reported for Property, Fire and Light Committee, stating that the fire apparatus had been overhauled, the extinguishers re-filled and placed in good condition. Report adopted.

On motion of J. N. Osborne, seconded by C. J. Hoselton, Council adjourned.

E. P. SHEPHARD, Clerk.

DR. VROOMAN NOMINATED

The Liberals of Lennox met in the Town Hall, Napanee, on Thursday afternoon last to select a candidate to represent the Liberals in the coming Provincial Election. A representative gathering was present and on nominations being called for Mr. Carlton Woods, Bolton, was nominated by Messrs. W. T. McCabe, North Fredericksburgh, and W. D. Robbin, Adolphustown.

Dr. J. P. Vrooman, Napanee, was nominated by Mr. E. H. Wright, South Fredericksburgh, and E. B. Fretts, North Fredericksburgh.

The President of the Association, Mr. W. R. Lott, called on Mr. Woods to address the meeting.

Mr. Woods, in a short speech, declined the nomination for reasons which he expressed to the meeting and asked the meeting to unanimously select Dr. Vrooman.

Dr. Vrooman, when called upon expressed his regret that Mr. Woods saw fit to decline the nomination, expressing the opinion that if Mr. Woods had let his name go into nomination he could with election. The Dr. felt that the Liberals were going to win the coming election and he would be proud to represent the good old county of Lennox in the Legislature. He wanted to be elected and would go into the fight to win.

Mr. Sam Clark, M.P.P., Cobourg, then addressed the meeting, dealing with matters before the Provincial House and questions likely to be discussed by the electors in the coming contest. Mr. Clark gave the present government due credit for most of the legislation passed by them during the past few years and said the Liberals of Ontario had nothing to be ashamed of and came before the people with a clean sheet, prepared to give the Province honest, progressive legislation. He condemned the late Conservative Government on its record of timber administration as shown by the investigations which have taken place and the large sums recovered from the Province through the investigation.

Dr. Vrooman again addressed the meeting, saying a few words on the temperance question. The Dr. Was of the opinion that the temperance sentiment in this county was so strong that no candidate advocating any other policy would have but a very small following. The meeting closed with three cheers for the King and the candidate.

COLEBROOK.

Miss Luella Garrison, nurse-in-training at the Ontario Hospital, Kingston, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. C. N. Garrison, who has been indisposed for some time.

Easter services, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Down, were well attended on Sunday last, in the Methodist church. The choir rendered special music and the church and altar were beautifully decorated with flowers. Mrs. Henry Gilliard presided at the organ in the absence of the organist, Mrs. W. C. Strangman, through illness.

The Misses Bessie and Ila Card, Napanee, spent Tuesday last with Mr. and Mrs. David Goudy.

Bert Eckhardt, of Queen's University, spent the holidays with his mother and sister here.

Miss Ethel McLean, of Echo Lake, has returned home after spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. B. W. Holden, Colebrook, East.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Purcell entertained the senior members of the Sunday School at their home on Tuesday evening. Owing to the bad condition of the roads and the inclement weather the attendance was not as large as was expected.

Mrs. Robert Galbraith has returned home after visiting her son, Howard, of Ardbeg.

Miss Lena Wagar has re-opened her millinery parlor.

Rev. J. F. Iverson, former pastor of this place, called on friends here on Wednesday last.

Wm. Leacock, an employee of W. F. Benn, Varty Lake road, left on Monday last for Montreal. Before his departure a number of his friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benn and presented him with a club bag, and wished him every success in the big city.

Quentin Woodruff, of Montreal, visited his friends here recently.

BOOTS, TEA AND WHISKEY.

The Orillia Packet notes the discovery of an account for various provisions purchased in 1867—the year of confederation. They included a pair of boots at 75c., a pound of tea at $1.00, and a half pound of tea at 45c.

That a pound of tea should cost more than a pair of boots seems rather strange to us at the present time, but it is doubtless explained by the difficulties of transportation during that period. Boots were a home product.

More than half a century earlier, in the Gazette and Oracle of 1799, advertisements appear, which quote the price of tea in Toronto at 19s. per lb. for Hyson, 14s. for Souchong, and 8s. for Bohea. Even if the New York shilling of sevenpence halfpenny was meant, these prices would range from $1.20 up to $2.85 per lb.

But beverages were not all priced accordingly. Even in the year 1867, there was one item itemized a half-gallon of whiskey at 60c. It was sold as a matter of corse along with "other groceries." Times have changed when a the price of whiskey at a Government Dispensary is today $4.25 per quart.

In the "good old days" 75c. would buy a pair of boots, three-quarters of a pound of tea, or five gills of whiskey. No doubt it lay between the boots and the whiskey as to which gave the most "kick" for the money.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Council Chamber,
Napanee, April 9th, 1923.

The Board of Education met in the Council Chamber on Monday evening, Chairman Alpine Woods presiding.

Members present—Messrs. G. A. Thompson, J. W. Robinson, J. L. Boyes, P. Gleeson, H. Daly, G. W. Gibbard, W. Milsap, C. A. Wiseman.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Miss E. M. Wilson, Inkerman, applied for a position on the teaching staff of the Public School. Fyled.

Miss C. E. Smythe, Inkerman, applied for a position on the teaching staff of the Napanee Public Schools. Fyled.

Miss Vera Shorey applied for the position of Public School nurse, should one be engaged.

On motion the secretary was requested to write Miss Shorey that the Board would not have the power to make the appointment of a nurse, but that a committee of all the schools in the unit will make the appointment of a school nurse, approved by the Department of Education.

A request for an opportunity to tender for the coal supply for the public schools from Mr. W. S. Wilson, was read and referred to the Property Committee to investigate and purchase a supply of fuel when they can secure same at a reasonable price.

High School Inspector J. Houston, presented his report of the Collegiate Institut.

Dr. Morden made some comments in reference to the report, explaining some features of the report. Report fyled.

Public School Inspector Corkhill's report of the Napanee Public Schools was presented and fyled.

Principal Trenouth informed the Board that twenty new pupils had presented themselves at West Ward and ten at East Ward and more were expected.

The matter of accommodation for the new pupils was left in the hands of the Management Committee with power to act.

The principal's report of attendance at public schools was presented. Total attendance 436, average attendance 391.12, percentage of attendance 90.43.

The report of the Doctor and Nurse who made the medical inspection of the schools was presented and fyled.

Several accounts were presented and ordered paid.

Dr. Morden asked for a supply of microscopes for the Collegiate.

On motion the Supply Committee was empowered to purchase the microscopes.

Board adjourned.

REPORT OF SCHOOL HEALTH DIVISION.

Napanee schools, number of children examined, 1,625.

School Medical Officer—E. L. Kitley.

School Nurse—N. E. Howey.

Defective vision 49; Defective hearing 20; Eye disease 3; Ear disease 1; Defective nasal breathing 36; Abnormal tonsils 68; Anaemic appearance 81; Defective teeth 164; Skin disease 5; Orthopedic defect 2; Cardiac disease 6; Nervous disorders 4; Digestive disturbance 3; Enlarged thyroid glands 50; Enlarged glands (submaxillary) 2; Malnutrition 6; Pulmonary disease (asthma 2; Defective speech 6; Children with Pediculosis 7; Children not clean 15; Children sent home because of communicable disease 7; (scabies, tonsilitis, conjunctivitis).

Health talks were discussed, one in each room, Care of teeth, food, fresh air and sleep.

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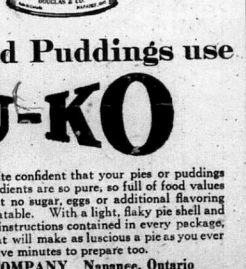

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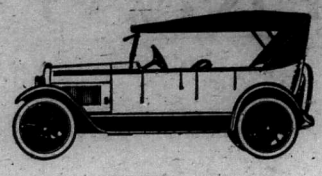

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The most precious deposits are the deposits of affection and friendship and love for you laid up in the hearts of your fellow-mortals.

Hounds.

Hounds of the same breed which were pets of the Pharaohs, Egypt's ancient rulers, are exhibited at a recent dog show in London, England.

U. S. Coal Mining.

Existing coal mines in the United States can produce from 700,000,000 to 900,000,000 tons a year.

GETTING HORSES INTO SHAPE FOR SPRING WORK

(Experimental Farms Note)

As the spring planting season is short, farm operations must be rushed. This entails long hours, and with modern machinery it also means heavy work for farm horses. Horses working in harrows, discs and manure spreaders are pulling heavy loads, and in many cases they are pulling them over broken ground. Because the work is hard and the hours are long the horses must be in good physical condition. This is only possible when horses are fitted for Spring work.

If they have been fed a liberal grain allowance they will be fat and soft, and should get regular exercise to harden their muscles. If they have been carried through the winter mainly on roughage, with very little grain, they should be given regular exercise and the grain ration should be increased to one pound per hundred pounds of live weight. Violent changes in either the diet or the habits of horses are injurious, and for this reason the farmer should begin getting his horses in shape a month, or preferably six weeks before heavy spring work begins, gradually increasing the grain and work so that the horse will be in shape to perform a heavy day's work when the rush season begins. The grain ration should be increased to at least one and a quarter pounds per hundred pounds live weight when the heavy spring planting commences.

The hay fed before and during the busy season should be either high grade timothy or a mixture of bright, clean timothy and clover. The grain fed while the horse is being fitted may consist wholly of oats; or a mixture of three parts of oats to one part of bran may be fed. Bran is too laxative for horses at heavy work and no more than one part of bran to five or six of oats should be fed during the busy season except on Saturday night, when a bran mash is advisable.

Sometimes a horse does not seem to be digesting his food properly, in which case the teeth should be examined and any that are long and ragged floated smooth. Indeed it is a good practice to go over all the horse's teeth each spring before starting to prepare the animal for spring work.

By properly fitting his horses for spring work the farmer will avoid sore shoulders, his horses will finish the season in good condition and they will render much more efficient service that if they had begun spring work ill-shod or not being properly fitted for it.

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A TURKISH PARABLE.

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The Turk, in spite of his recent shocking and abominable conduct in Smyrna, is not without his moral tales. The pity of it is that he does not heed them more strictly. This fable, which Miss Mary A. Pointer tells in her book, "When Turkey was Turkey," has a moral that not only the Turk himself but the whole world might well follow.

"It seems," says Miss Pointer, "many years ago there was a man in Scutari who had a great liking for rich and expensive food; in short he was very much of a gourmet. But he had a pious heart and was desirous of being helpful. Though he was a well-to-do man, he could do little in the way of almsgiving, however, because of his selfish indulgence. The two natures in him, the desire to be generous and his delight in the good things of the table, did not give him the peace of spirit that he desired. The thought was constantly in his mind how he could do some great thing to acquire merit, and to benefit his fellow men and at the same time pander to his own exacting appetite. There was not money with which to do both.

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Just as he rang at the chateau gate, an ugly, muddy whelp rushed joyously and noisily to greet him, fawning upon the poet's new and dainty costume.

Reluctant to draw any distinction of courtesy, at such a time, between the Academician and his dog, he had no alternative but to accept the slimy caresses, and the escort of the animal into the salon.

He accounted for the embarrassment of his host by the barely defensible behaviour of his pet, but when the dog, having followed him into the dining-room, placed two muddy paws upon the cloth and seized the wing of a cold chicken, De Musset's suppressed wrath found relief in the reserved suggestion: "You are fond of dogs, I see?"

"Fond of dogs?" echoed the Academician. "I hate dogs."

"But this animal here?" ventured De Musset.

"I have borne with the beast," was the reply, "only because it is yours."

"Mine," cried the poet. "I thought it was yours, which was all that prevented me from killing him."

The two men shouted with laughter; De Musset gained a friend; all the dog and his kind an enemy more than before.

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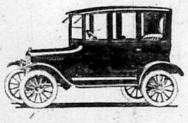
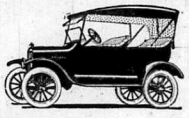

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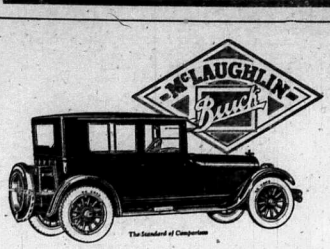

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New Anecdote of Hamilton's Grand Old Man.

Adam Brown, Hamilton's Grand Old Man, who has passed the 90-year mark, has always been active in Humane Society work, and when he was in Toronto the other day to attend the 75th annual meeting of the Canada Life, and for the 69th time moved a vote of thanks to the staff, he still manifested his interest in kindness to animals by stopping a driver on King street and telling him that his horse was carrying too heavy a load.

This reminds us of an incident which took place many years ago in Ottawa when Adam Brown was M.P. for Hamilton. He had been participating in a cricket match on the western lawn of the Parliament grounds (now, alas! barred from such use), and was walking down to his rooms at the Bodega Chambers when at the front gate of the Parliament grounds he came across a French-Canadian from Hull who was driving a poor, thin horse with a load far too heavy for even a well-fed animal. The poor brute had stopped for a minute to get its breath and the human brute was lashing it with his whip.

Mr. Brown, clad in his immaculate flannels, at once intervened. Going up to the man, he seized the whip and told him to desist his thrashing of the horse. The man retorted with a string of oaths and told the M.P. to go to "enfer." He told the brute that if he did not stop beating the horse he would have him arrested. The only result was a further string of oaths and an attempt by the habitant to use his whip upon the "Englishman." Mr. Brown looked round and saw a Dominion policeman just inside the gates and called on him for help, but the constable replied that he was sorry that his jurisdiction did not extend outside the grounds.

Adam Brown then took the law into his own hands. He took the habitant by the scruff of his coat and the seat of his pants and hustled him down Metcalfe street to Sparks street, where he handed him over to an Ottawa city constable and then went back to stand guard over the poor animal until another city constable was sent up to take it to the pound.

When Mr. Brown went to dinner at the Rideau Club that night he was greeted by a series of joking congratulations from the armchair members, who had been sipping their mint juleps and admiring the enthusiasm of a man who would step in to protect a helpless animal. The next morning in the police court he pleaded for clemency for the driver, declaring that he had only desired to give him a lesson, with the result that when the case was dismissed the habitant came around and thanked the M.P. for saving him from going to jail, where he was about to be committed by Magistrate Ogara when Mr. Brown intervened.

As he left for the ground to recover his horse and cart he told Mr. Brown that he would instruct his wife and children to pray for the man who had saved him from the jail and promised in future to be more kind to his animals.

The sluggard will not plough by reason of the cold; therefore shall he beg in harvest and have nothing. —Prov. 20-4.

Farming is a business; agriculture is a science. The tiller of the soil who blends these two is the man to whom the future offers success.

Will Explore Constantinople

Lord Carnarvon's great archaeological triumphs in Egypt have been at least partly responsible for the announcement that Lord d'Abernon and Sir Joseph Duveen will conduct explorations in Constantinople, and that they hope to find among the tombs of the Sultans some such treasure as the Valley of the Kings has yielded. It is taken for granted that their explorations will depend upon the Allies and the Turks coming to an agreement, for unless this is done the latter would not permit infidels to go digging about among the bones of their emperors. The new expedition, like that of Lord Carnarvon's, will have unlimited means, both the gentlemen interested being millionaires, while d'Abernon is reckoned one of the wealthiest of British peers. For many years he was governor of the Ottoman Bank and came to know Constantinople as well probably as anyone who lived there. He used to spend his spare time in exploring the territory round the city, and though he made no particular finds he satisfied himself that there is undoubtedly a vast treasury lying unnoticed and unclaimed beneath the city itself.

In the New York Times, Frederick Cunliffe, C.B.E., points out that Lord d'Abernon has no heirs, and that apart from his wealth he has so far not greatly distinguished himself, or at least has not distinguished himself to the extent that his ambitions demand. He is at present in Berlin as ambassador, but it is hinted that his term will not be long. It is believed that it is due primarily to his advice that Germany has adopted her present perverse attitude toward the Allies. He has been, in fact, the financial adviser of all the German Governments that have been erected since the Treaty of Versailles rather than the champion of British interests. Lord d'Abernon sought fame upon the turf, but though he has a costly racine stable he has yet to distinguish himself there. But if he had anything like the luck that had attended the explorations of Lord Carnarvon his name will be celebrated in history. That is about the only chance he has, since he has no children to inherit.

Says Mr. Owen:

Turkey is usually regarded as an empire which is bankrupt, and as something very akin to a pauper among nations. Yet her treasures are absolutely fabulous. The mausoleum in which all the dead sultans have been laid to rest since they captured the city from the Byzantine emperors, some fifty years before the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus, is filled with treasure. Its extent has passed into the domain of legend, so inexhaustible is its wealth, and for the last 300 years it has constituted one of the principal attractions of the Russians for the possession of Constantinople. At any rate, it is known that the securing of this treasure preside in the tombs of the dead sultans, and which is known as the "Cassiba," was one of the pet dreams of Peter the Great. Usage and religion have alike prescribed that the treasure of each sultan shall be immured with his corpse in his tomb at his death, and does not, therefore, become the property of his successor. Thus, the treasure left by every sultan who has reigned at Stamboul since 1453 is intact—immured in each case in his tomb hitherto protected from violation by superstition and by the dread of sacrilege.

Few conquerors ever secured more loot than Mahomuped II. when he took Constantinople by storm. There fell into his hands all the treasures of the Greek or Byzantine empire, which was celebrated through the world for its magnificence and luxury. It is said that Selim, who captured and looted the Danubian provinces, was wont to use shovels and wheelbarrows when conveying his jewels from one treasure chamber to another, so great was the quantity. It seems certain that among the treasures that await recapture is one of the most famous diamonds in the world. That is the stone which the Mogul Emperor Baber Khan captured at Agra and which weighed 672 carats. Sultan Mahmoud caused this priceless stone to be set in the hilt of his scimitar, and this scimitar was buried with Mahmoud when he was laid away in 1753. No doubt this and other treasures would have been exhumed long ago had it not been for the peculiar Turkish reverence for dead sultans. The present Government is said to be strongly tinged with atheism, and if Lord d'Abernon and Sir Joseph Duveen are able to dig up this scimitar the Government will be pleased to accept it from them.

One of the reasons why treasure seekers have been so richly rewarded in Egypt and are likely to be richly rewarded in Constantinople is because the building methods that have obtained in the East from time immemorial are different from those of the West. When a house is torn down in the East or when it falls down, the builder does not trouble to clear away the rubbish down to the original foundations. He simply builds again on top. So it happens that Constantinople is erected upon layers and layers of rubbish, sometimes a hundred or two hundred feet deep, each layer representing the ruins of a former city and a former civilization. Moreover, every time the city was threatened with capture the inhabitants fled with what they could carry and buried the rest. Sometimes they were able to return and exhume their possessions. Sometimes they were not and since the city was captured and destroyed several times, each successful attack upon it was marked by the burying of treasure that was never recovered.

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Here and There

Canada's export trade grew $174,000,000 in the first eleven months of the fiscal year ending March 31st.

A recent and popular Canadian Pacific appointment is that of Mr. Walter Maughan to Steamship Passenger Manager. The appointment includes management of the company's passenger business on both the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

Fire insurance companies found 1922 the most disastrous year for more than 20 years. The ratio of losses to premiums was 68.64 per cent. British companies suffered most severely, their losses to premiums being 71.48 per cent, mainly due to the Northern Ontario fire.

A gold rush is in full swing and it is expected to bring about the development of more mining camps in the counties of Temiskaming and Abitibi. Gold was discovered in these two counties early in 1922, and a rush of prospectors began in March of that year. In October, 250 claims were staked, comprising 50,000 acres of land, and to date about 90,000 acres have been staked.

In the last fiscal year, Canada imported 1,363,000 pounds of butter from the United States, 297,000 pounds from Australia and 2,254,000 pounds from New Zealand. The total exports of Canadian butter were 8,430,000 pounds.

It is announced that the running schedule of the Trans-Canada Limited, which will operate between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver, commencing May 20th, has been cut down one hour. Considering the all steel equipment and luxurious appointments and its regular daily on time performance, this is the finest long distance train in the world.

Bungalow camps, such as are operated in the Canadian Rockies, are to be built in the French River, Nipigon Bay and Lake of the Woods districts of Ontario by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Low cost of construction and maintenance will enable the company to offer lower rates than standard hotels. The first three will be ready for occupation by July 1st.

According to a recent rearrangement of ports of call of the Orient, the Canadian Pacific Steamships Limited, by omitting Manila as a port of call between Shanghai and Hong Kong, will bring the latter port four days nearer to Canada, the United States and Europe. This makes possible a through service from London, England, via Canadian Pacific Atlantic Empresses to Quebec and rail to Vancouver and via Canadian Pacific Empresses to Hong Kong under 28 days.

During the year 1922 the Canadian Pacific Railway handled a total of 8,435,825 pieces of baggage as compared with 8,732,674 for the previous year. Of this amount 5,175,203 pieces were passengers' baggage which compared with 5,486,455 for the previous twelve months. 9,697 bicycles were handled, 19,386 dogs travelled as baggage and 23,983 baby carriages were moved. There was also a considerable increase in the movement of milk. In 1922, the Company moved 1,623,707 cars as against 1,614,791 in 1921; and it is remarkable that most of this increase was in the three provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, which is an apparent indication of the further development of mixed farming in those provinces.

One of the best examples of a town "growing up over night" is that of Climax, the end of steel on the Consul-Assiniboia branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway. All that there was on the quarter section on February 19th, the day on which the site of the new town was finally settled, was a homesteader's shack and a small barn. When the steel was laid in Climax on March 15th there was a restaurant, one rooming house, over a score of dwellings, two blacksmith's shops, a drug store, pants' furnishing store, a big general store, pool room and butcher shop. The new town is situated in four large wheat townships on which nearly 100,000 bushels of grain were stored, and a butcher shop. The new town is situated in Lone Tree R.M. number 18, about 30 miles south of Shaunavon.

Montreal Howlers.

That Mohammed was the son of Moses; an angle is a triangle with only two sides, and parallel lines are the same distance all the way and do not meet unless you bend them, are the latest contributions to the world's knowledge as interpreted by Montreal school boys. A collection of "howlers" from the examination papers of local juveniles reveals some amusing and original efforts to get somewhere with an answer at any cost. Following are some specimens.

Louis XVI. was "guillotined" during the French revolution.

Gender shows whether a man is masculine, feminine or neuter.

A vacuum is a large empty space where the Pope lives.

Gravitation is that which if there were none we would all fly away.

The invention of the steamboat caused a network of rivers to spring up.

To resuscitate from drowning grasp the arms of the deceased.

The wife of Lot was a pillar of salt by day and a pillar of fire by night.

Title Held by Chieftain.

Baron Strathspey is by way of being a Canadian; at least he is almost Nova Scotian, although born in New Zealond. By name Trevor Ogilvie-Grant, of Grant, his lordship of the thirty-first chief of the Grant Clan. Lord Strathspey received his education in his native Dominion and did not go to England or Scotland until the Great War. Now he is fairly well established as an Old Countryman, having served on the Wiltshire Borough Council and the Putney Hospital Board.

His connection with his Majesty's province or colony of Nova Scotia commenced a long while before his birth. In 1625 the head of the Clan Grant, his direct ancestor in the male line, was made a baronet of Nova Scotia. Many of the Grants came over and are there to this day, but the heads of the house retained a firm grip on old Scotia, even if the present chieftain's father did emigrate to New Zealand.

Reports on Canada's Crops

At frequent intervals throughout the season the Bank of Montreal issues reports on the progress of the crops in Canada. These reports, telegraphed to headquarters from the Managers of the Bank's 600 Branches, cover every Province and form a reliable index of crop conditions.

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A STRANGE ROBBERY.

Adventures of a Lady Who Wore Too Many Jewels.

One of the most extraordinary robberies of recent times was undoubtedly that which occurred in New York on New Year's eve, and of which Mrs. C. P. Hugo Schoellkopf, the wife of a Buffalo financial man, was the victim. It was said at first that she had been robbed of half a million dollars in jewels and money, which seemed preposterous, but you can never be sure with people named like the Buffalo lady, and her loss has been officially itemized at $312,560, practically all of it being in jewels she wore on the evening in question. This is one of the features that makes the robbery remarkable—that a woman should wear hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of jewellery at a quiet little party of half a dozen people. Another remarkable feature is provided by the fact that the crime appears to have been extemporaneous, thought of perhaps five minutes before it was carried into effect. A third amazing feature is that the robbers took only three or four minutes to strip their victim, and that she rushed back to her astounded friends perhaps five minutes after she had left them.

One member of the party, Paul W. Englehardt, an automobile dealer, has given a detailed account of the party, which is worth relating, since in many details it appears to be typical of the kind of parties that prevail in American cities since the Volstead Act has come into force. The Englehardts were friends of Mrs. Schoellkopf, and when she arrived in New York arrangements were made for some slight entertainment. Common friends, the Mannis, planned to give a New Year's Eve party, and the Englehardts a New Year's Day party. The day before New Year's Mrs. Schoellkopf phoned to say that the New Year's Eve party would take place at the apartments of Frank Barrett Carman, a friend of hers, who was unable to leave the house. The Englehardts, not knowing Carman, desired to drop out, but on being assured that everybody would be congenial they went.

The party assembled about three o'clock in the afternoon and, according to this witness, "somebody suggested a game of poker to while away the time." Then came a fine dinner, after which the poker game was renewed. About this time it occurred to the humanist humorist of the bunch to say, "This looks like a dry party," and Carman, as host, was invited to produce rare liquors in copious quantities and at a high rate of speed. He excused himself on the ground that he had no liquor, but he said he thought he knew who had some. Going to the hall he shouted "Marshall!" and, as a door opened in the apartment below he asked, "Have you any Scotch?" The answer was favorable, and shortly this man Marshall appeared with a bottle of Scotch. He was introduced to the guests and then there was a discussion about the price. Mr. Marshall wanted $14, and somebody else vouchsafed that $10 would be all right. When Marshall was paid he noticed a vacant seat at the poker table and asked if he might play.

He took Mrs. Schoellkopf's place and played, the lady seeming to find perfect pleasure in admiring his good looks, upon which she commented publicly. Then Marshall volunteered to get another bottle, which he did, and the poker continued. However, it was noticed that the game began to interfere with the uninterrupted flow of liquor and poker was abandoned. Carman was the heaviest loser, he being out $120, for which he gave a cheque. Marshall was also out $110 and offered a cheque. It was suggested that, since he was a stranger, though undoubtedly an affable and praiseworthy one, to everyone but Carman, Carman should accept his cheque. Then the party began to dance. Marshall suggested that it would be a fine idea to have a little wine with which to welcome the new year and, this proposal proving consensual, he went back to his apartment and returned with a bottle of wine and some glasses on a tray. The dancing was kept up until one o'clock, and then Mrs. Schoellkopf announced rather abruptly that she was going, and left the apartment while the others were leisurely preparing to say goodnight.

In only a few minutes she returned with her clothing disarranged and her arms and hands bleeding. She said that when she reached the floor below a man had clutched his arm about her neck, clapped what she supposed was chloroform to her mouth and dragged her into Marshall's apartment. Marshall and a third man then appeared. They threw her on the bed, tore off the telephone wire and the wire of a couple of floor lamps and bound her. One of them threatened to murder her if she screamed, and then they began to tear off her jewellery. They bruised her flesh and she offered to take off the ornaments herself. This she did. They threatened her with revolvers and, after having taken every valuable trinket she possessed, with the exception of the baby shoulder-strap pins which she begged them to leave, they departed. They then rifled her handbag of a couple of pints of champagne. She struggled to her feet after they had gone and staggered back to her friends. The three robbers escaped and are at large

CANADA'S WHEAT YIELD.

A New Record Was Established in the Year 1922.

Canada's wheat yield for 1922 is finally estimated at 399,786,400 bushels, as compared with 300,858,100 bushels in 1921.

The average yield per acre was 17.9 bushels.

The value of the wheat crop is given as $339,419,000.

The total wheat crop of 399,786,400 bushels, as now finally estimated, is the largest on record for Canada, and compared with 393,542,000 bushels, the previous record crop of 1915.

The average yield per acre of all wheat for 1922 works out at 17.9 bushels, as compared with 13.5 bushels in 1921, with 12.4 bushels the ten-year average, and with 26 bushels the record for 1915.

The excellent quality of the principal cereals, wheat, oats, barley and rye, is shown by the fact that the weights per measured bushel are well above both those of 1921 and of the five-year average.

The total value of principal field crops in 1922 are estimated as follows (the corresponding values for 1921 and for the five-year average 1917-21 being given within brackets): Wheat, $339,419,000 ($242,958,000; $392,546,320); oats, $185,455,000 ($146,395,300; $270,406,080); barley, $33,335,900 ($28,254,150; $57,457,784); rye, $18,763,200 ($15,399,300; $12,744,150).

The aggregate value of all field crops in 1922 is $962,616,200, as compared with $931,863,670 in 1921.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issued recently its final annual report on the area, yield, quantity and value of the field crops of Canada for the year 1922. The statistics of area and the estimates of yield and value have been collected and established in co-operation and agreement with the Provincial Departments of Agriculture and for Quebec with the Quebec Bureau of Statistics, in accordance with plans followed annually since 1918. The total area under field crops in 1922 was 57,200,681 acres, as against 59,635,546 acres in 1921.

The total yield of wheat in Canada for the year 1922, now finally estimated at 399,786,400 bushels, comes from an area of 22,422,693 acres, as compared with 300,858,100 bushels from 23,261,224 acres in 1921, and with 286,025,200 bushels from 18,545,868 acres, the annual average for the five years 1917-21. The total for 1922 consists of 18,956,000 bushels from 892,569 harvested acres of fall wheat and of 380,830,400 bushels from 21,530,124 sown acres of spring wheat.

Expressed in cental of 100 lb., the yield of potatoes in 1922 was 55,746,300 from 683,594 acres, as compared with 64,407,600 centals from 701,812 acres in 1921, and with 66,118,860 centals from 739,474 acres, the five-year average. Turnips, mangolds, etc., produced a total of 42,978,500 centals from 224,256 acres in 1922, as against 29,576,150 centals from 237,675 acres in 1921. Sugar beets produced 1,190,400 tons from 20,725 acres in 1922, as against 268,000 tons from 23,367 acres in 1921. Of hay and clover the total yield was in 1922, 14,488,200 tons from 10,001,667 acres, as compared with 11,366,100 tons from 10,6144,791 acres in 1921.

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Sunday, 3 p.m.—Men's meeting, "White Blackbirds."

A cordial invitation is given to the public to attend all meetings in this Hanley & Fisher series.

Stratford Beacon Sold.

Announcement is made of the purchase of the plant and equipment of the Stratford daily and weekly Beacon, from the estate of the late W. M. O'Beirne, by W. J. Taylor, publisher of the Woodstock Sentinel Review and the Chatham Daily News. There is to be no change in personnel of the Beacon's staff.

Contribution to Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

The Daughters of the Empire in Napanee appreciate deeply the kindness and generosity of Miss Etta Harrison and her pupils of the Junior Fourth Class, Napanee Public School, for their splendid voluntary donation for Canadian blind; which has been handed to the Regent, Mrs. E.L. Chapter, I.O.D.E., to be forwarded through the proper channels to the above named Institute.

The Revival Services.

The interest awakened in less than one week in the Grace Church Revival Campaign is most remarkable. Some six hundred women attended the Women's Meeting last Sunday afternoon, and in the evening the church was filled. Major Hanley is an orator of the first rank and every subject discussed is presented in a masterly and convincing manner. Mr. Fisher is a charming and finished conductor and soloist. His "Ninety and Nine" solo on Sunday night was wonderful. To-night's meeting promises great interest, "Can we Talk with the Dead"? is a subject that has, since the beginning of the world, held a premier place in the theological thinking of multitudes of people. Friday night's meeting is said to be the most spectacular of the series. Thursday afternoon at 2.30, "The Power of Motherhood," women's meeting, and Sunday at 3 p.m., "White Blackbirds," men only, will prove of especial interest. This series promises well and if the first week is any indication at all of the future, the prospects of uplift are bright indeed.

Dmonstration of Ford Truck.

An interesting demonstration of motive power was made here last week with a Ford Ton Truck, by Wilmot & Chapman, local dealers. This truck, which was quipped with a new transmission giving four speeds forward and two reverse, was loaded with milk cans filled with water weighing 4200 pounds. In climbing Robbin's Hill, when half way up, the driver discovered the engine was not getting sufficient gasoline, and attempted to pull off on the side road, but the road was soft and the rear wheel settled in the mud to the axle. Several, who were present to witness this dmonstration, stated it would be impossible to bring the truck out of the mud without removing the load, but, after having the carburetor adjusted, the driver not only brought the truck out of the mud, but on up the hill without any difficulty. An experienced truck driver, who was present, made the remark that no truck of double the capacity could have equalled this performance. We understand that the extra transmission equipment can be installed on a Ford Truck at a very reasonable figure.

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Thursday, 7.30 p.m.—Midweek service.

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Obituary.

On Saturday, March 24th, 1923, Mrs. Neil Milsap, nee Cassie May Huffman, passed from her earthly to he heavenly home, in the 53rd year of her age. She was born at Moscow, on the 25th of March, 1870, and had she lived a few hours longer, would have died on the anniversary of her birth. Mrs. Milsap was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Huffman, a highly respected family of this neighborhood, and on the 15th of October, 1890, was united in marriage to Mr. Neil Milsap, of this place. Mrs. Milsap in early childhood, gave her heart to the service of Christ, and to the Christian Church, and being a talented musician, consecrated these gifts to the service of her Master. The late Mrs. Milsap was organist of the Methodist Church for 25 years, and during a considerable portion of that period, served as choir leader as well. She was actively interested in the Ladies' Aid Society, an active member of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, and President of the Moscow Red Cross Society, and her patriotism and loyalty was ever a source of inspiration to those who served with her. A woman of high Christian ideals and cheerful disposition, she was beloved by all who knew her. Her interest in all that was connected with the home and Church, was unfailing. As evidencing the esteem in which she was held, her many friends filled the large Methodist church at Moscow on the day of her funeral, and the many beautiful floral tributes bore silent testimony of Christian sympathy and loving remembrance. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. F. Everson, of Prince Albert, Ont., a former pastor and intimate friend of the family, who spoke eloquently and impressively from the Songs of Solomon 6, 2: "My beloved is gone down into his garden, to the beds of spices, to feed in the gardens, and to gather lilies." The late Mrs. Milsap is survived by her sorrowing husband and only son, Lyall, her aged father and mother, one sister, Mrs. John Judge, of this place, and two brothers, Garnet Huffman, of Moscow, and Evert Huffman, of Hartington. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His Saints."

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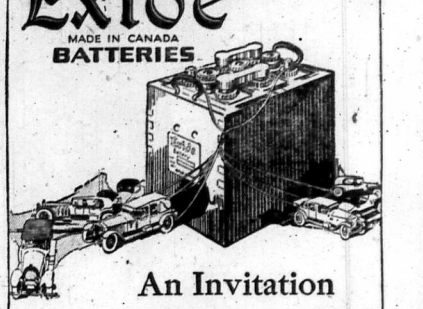

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DESERONTO.

The old fire engine that did service for the Bathburns for years during their activities in town, has been sold to Mr. Harry Hall. Mr. Hall expects to use the boiler for a central heating plant.

Frank Brennin, who for the past few seasons has been the manager of the Northport cheese factory, has resigned the position, and will continue his lumbering activities with the Armitage Lumber Co., of Coe Hill and Ardock. His former position has been taken over by his son, Ernest, who has been his assistant for several seasons, and who is at present taking an extensive course in dairying.

A message conveying the news of the death of Robert Gault, a former well-known resident of Deseronto, at his home on Manitoulin Island, has been received here. The remains will be brought to Deseronto for interment.

Plans are now under consideration by the Kingston and Deseronto owners of the former Foresters' Island for the erection of suitable buildings whereby the Island will become the most famous summer resort in the Bay of Quinte. The Island, so beautifully situated as it is, commanding a most impressing view of both reaches and shores, is well known to a large number of people both in Canada and the United States, who visited it during the Oronhyatekha Regime.

Col. J. Malley and Mr. Robert Geddes were both placed in nomination for mayor at the convention held in the Town Hall, which means that the town is to witness an election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Mayor John Dalton. The election will be held on Tuesday, April 10th.

A splendid crowd attended the first of the series of euchres and dances as given by the Vincentia Club at the Parish Hall, Queen street, since Lent. Mrs. J. J. St. Louis, Trenton, won the lady's prize at euchre and Mr. Charles Brady, Mill street, was awarded the gentleman's prize. Walter's Orchestra, Napanee, furnished the music throughout and the evening was very enjoyable all around.

President J. C. Burns, of the Bay of Quinte Baseball League, President H. A. Rendell, of the Deseronto Baseball Club, W. A. Joyce, secretary and treasurer, and members Jack Roach and T. E. Dettor, attended the meeting of the League at Belleville. The meeting was enthusiastic and showed very plainly that there is something doing in the League. Mr. J. C. Burns, Deseronto, was re-elected President and Mr. E. R. Abbott, Point Anne, was elected secretary-treasurer. Three teams have entered to this date, namely, Deseronto, Point Anne and Picton.

Mr. Arthur Malley, who has been acting as relief officer in the Deseronto Customs and Excise Office for the past two months, has returned to his desk in the local office.

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THE PASSING SHOW OF 1923

A great many people were unable to see either of the previous performances of the play 'Fairies' which it was produced in February and apparently they were sorry afterwards. To alleviate their misfortune, it is being presented again as the second number on the program of "The Passing Show of 1923" and is followed by that famous and popular pair, Messrs. Gallagher and Shean. These repeat numbers are only two of the twelve items on the program and the other ten are just as good. The performance is intended to meet every taste. There is some singing, a great deal of dancing, some quite novel vaudeville and also a burlesque play.

Now all who wish to see this show will be able to attend. There will be only three performances and there are a limited number of seats. Those who fail to see it will be unfortunate and we feel for them. This is their only chance. There will be absolutely no repeat performance in Napanee. It is possible that several of the players will be engaged by New York producers immediately after the last show.

It has been very difficult to procure a nervous old lady to take the part of "The Nervous Old Lady" and as this is her first appearance befor the footlights, it is likely to be her last.

Moreover Miss Jean Macpherson, of Toronto, is coming especially to dance at these three performances. Please remember that you have been warned and that you will have only yourself to blame if you miss it.

Performances—Friday evening, April 13th, Saturday Matinee and evening, April 14th.

Evening—Doors open at 7.45 p.m. Curtain 8.15 p.m. sharp.

Saturday Matinee doors open at 1.45 p.m. Curtain 2.15 p.m., sharp.

Prices—Evenings, Adults 50c., Children 35c., Saturday Matinee, 25c. all ages.

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CAMDEN EAST.

The last week in March was very cold with high winds and snow and very disagreeable weather, the coldest on record for a number of years.

Mrs. Bruce Saundercook, of Collins Bay, spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Youmans.

Mrs. Hester Greenway has returned home after spending the past winter with her son, Mr. James Greenway, and family in Ottawa.

Miss Alice Macdonald spent the Easter holidays with her parents. She is teaching school at Sharpe's Corners.

Mr. Carman Salisbury, of Kingston, who is attending Queen's, and his sister Olive, who is teaching at Stella, spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Salisbury, east of the village.

Miss Bessie Steadman, of Queen's, Kingston, spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Steadman, and sister Alma.

Mrs. Arthur Hinch and son, Arthur, spent Easter Sunday with her aunt, Miss Sarah Amey.

Rev. Mr. Nickle preached an eloquent sermon in the Methodist church on Sunday last, on "The Resurrection of Christ" and the choir gave several fine selections of music which were very much appreciated by the congregation.

Miss Emma McGaughey spent her Easter holidays with her old friends at Lapum's, East, also with Mrs. R. Blakely and daughters.

Mr. Fred Buck, wife and three children spent the Easter holidays with her brother and family, Mr. Clement, of Selby.

Mrs. Clifford Skinner and two children spent the Easter holidays in Toronto with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, and other members of the family.

Mr. Hobart Youmans, of Hamilton, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Youmans, and with his sister, Mrs. Bruce Saundervook.

Miss Marion Riley spent the Easter holidays with her parents, and family.

Mr. Jesse Card, of Forest Mills, spent Easter week with his family in the village.

A NAUTICAL KNOT

After several weeks of preparation the Nautical Knot Was presented in Wonderland Theatre, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, to crowded houses.

The talent was all local and the perfection of their musical training was mainly due to Prof. Baird, who conducted the opera.

Mrs. Bradley, as the Belle of Barnstapoole, was the leading lady and her lovely voice was highly appreciated and contributed much to the success of the opera. Mr. LaSalle as the artist lover was also splendid and acted the part well.

The Star of the evening and the most difficult part in the opera, was "Bill Salt," taken by Mr. J. G. Daly. Mr. Daly fully portrayed the part and from his first appearance captivated the audience. The part was full of humor and with his fine, deep voice he played the part of the bo'sun of the Bounding Billow to perfection. Miss Ronette Dalton added some nice touches to the play, with her dancing. The "Spanish Dance" and the "Sailor's Hornpipe" drew hearty encores.

Miss Leah Ramsay was charming in the part of "Nance" and made a pretty sweetheart for the mate of the Bounding Billow, Mr. Barrett.

The three pretty maids of Barnstappool, "Delia, Daisy and Dora" were Misses Mary Derry, Evelyn McKim and Mildred Perry. All looked dainty and attractive in their pretty frocks and their singing was excellent.

The chorus of ladies in their attractive costumes and the hearty encores with which they entered into the spirit of the occasion and to the assistance rendered by the sailors' chorus, gave a swing to the performance which delighted the audience.

To Mr. W. J. Shannon must be given the credit for the staging of the show. As a stage manager Mr. Shannon is quite adept.

The orchestra, without which the opera would be a tame affair, was all local talent and their rendition of the accompaniments and overtures was exceedingly pleasing.

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Jar 4,600 Years Old.

Amongst the latest results of the excavations being carried out at Byblos is the discovery of a jar containing a quantity of varnished china beads, beads of agate and crystal, bracelets, medals, etc. On a little disc is inscribed the name of the camel driver from Homs who, some 2,000 years B.C., was entrusted with the transport of Pharaoh's offering to Byblos. Experts consider that the jar and its contents date from the twelfth Egyptian dynasty.

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PRIN. G. W. MORDEN DELIGHTS AUDIENCE IN BELLEVILLE

Mr. G. W. Morden, Principal of the Collegiate Institute at Napanee and a well-known scholar and lecturer, addressed members of Belleville Lodge, A.F. & A.M., upon his experiences during the war in connection with French and German Lodges in Switzerland.

Mr. Morden had the great advantage of being there in a representative capacity in connection indirectly with the air service and with supplies, and also in being a linguist and equally familiar with the French and German languages. His report on the resemblances and differences between Canadian Craft Masonry and theirs, his summary of the attitude of the various lodges towards the war in that neutral country and his vivid description of the life and surroundings in the oldest of modern republics, proved most interesting and instructive to the large number privileged to hear him. W. Bro. W. N. Ponton, Grand Master, moved a vote of thanks and addressed the brethren on conditions of Masonry in Canada and the United States, and W. Bro. J. S. McKeown and W. Bro. C. F. Wallbridge seconded and supported the resolution of appreciation.—Belleville Ontario.

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New Paint Shop.

Mr. Frank Markle has rented the Symington evaporator building at the foot of West street, and is fixing it up for a paint shop, for carriages, motor boats, furniture, etc. Tops and trimmings of all kinds. Work guaranteed. 5-tf

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YARKER.

Stewart Dafoe has returned to the west after visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Walker were entertained at the home of Samuel Winters on Monday evening last.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. Down, Mrs. Hugh Cambridge, and Richard Wilson, but are all improving.

A large number gathered at the parsonage on Friday evening last and presented Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holland with a variety shower The presents were numerous and costly.

Miss Blanche Wilson and friend, Miss Shaufnaugh, Kingston, are visiting at the home of Myles Wilson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Card, on March 29th, a daughter. Both are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Korah Lee and children spent Sunday last with hr parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNeely, Newburgh.

Thomas Warner has returned to the Dental College, Toronto, after spending the holiday recess with his parents.

The topic of the day is organizing a baseball team to enter in the league games.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wilson and children, Miss Lizzie Babcock and "Joe" Smith spent Sunday last at D. A. Stewart's.

Miss Jessie Bell is spending a holiday at her home in Belleville.

Miss Florence Hamilton, of the post office staff, spent Sunday last at her home at Brookside.

Mrs. Howard Holland is spending some time with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Down.

Manly Foster is shipping three carloads of logs.

Miss Francis Simpkins, Sydenham, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpkins.

What might have been a very serious fire occurred in A. A. Connolly's residence on Wednesday evening, when the upstairs chamber caught fire. Quick aid was soon given and the fire extinguished with little damage done.

Easter services were conducted in both the Anglican and Methodist churches on Sunday last.

Miss Vanalstine spent a day recently with Mrs. W. Jackson, Bethel.

Miss Cuthbertson, Ingersoll, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ferrier.

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DEALERS, NAPANEE

The MAN NOBODY KNEW

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"No—yes, I . . . I'll sit down!" Her eyes seemed magnetized to Hilliard's. "Only I want to hear—I want to hear!"

"Tell her from the beginning," said Cullen, mopping his forehead. Get a glass of water . . . anything else, Carol?"

She shook her head. "Tell me!" she said. "I want to know!"

So that Hilliard, inspirited by the realization that he was under the protectorate of the shadows, and gathering fresh assurance with every sentence, went through that tragic narrative a second time. And as he told the tale of Dicky Morgan, he was greatly engulfed by the surge of Dicky Morgan's grievances; his voice trembled with righteousness; he gradually lost his loathing for the part he played, and played it with every atom of his energy; he was a defendant, and a witness and a judge for Dicky Morgan all in one—and his verdict was for acquittal. Miss Durant's eyes never left his face.

"And that," she said presently, "is all there is to tell?"

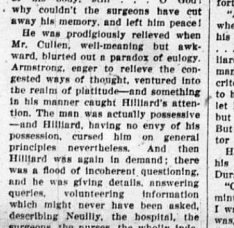
"That's the end," said Hilliard simply. And in the long pause which followed, he was wondering . . . wondering . . . vague aimless thoughts, with no beginning and no conclusive outcome, but the central figure, flitting, elusive, was always Carol Durant. He told himself fiercely that he hated her, that for two vengeful years he had hated her, that he had come back to Syracuse primarily to see her again, with his whole soul for the wounds in his heart, the wounds of his body, still . . . O God! why couldn't the surgeons have cut away his memory, and left him peace!

He was prodigiously relieved when Mr. Cullen, well-meaning but awkward, blurted out a paradox of enjoy. Armstrong, eager to relieve the congested ways of thought, ventured into the realm of platitude—and something in his manner caught Hilliard's attention. The man was actually possessive—and Hilliard, having no envy of his possession, cursed him on general principles nevertheless. And then Hilliard was again in demand; there was a flood of incoherent questioning, and he was giving details, answering queries, volunteering information which might never have been asked, describing Neuilly, the hospital, the surgeons, the nurses, the wholly indescribable atmosphere of France in wartime. He was strengthening his position, phrase by phrase; his insouciance redoubled; he had laid a rock foundation never to be successfully assailed. There came an abrupt pause; Miss Durant rose and came to him, and he was on his feet to meet her.

"Thank you," she said, giving him her hands. His heart missed a beat; his blood ran gelid. "That's all you can . . . I wish you'd talk to me again before you go . . . alone . . . I wish it very much. You've made me . . . at least, I can be glad you were there . . . to help him, but I want to know so much more . . . so infinitely much more . . ."

A fleeting impulse clawed at Hilliard's judgment; he yielded to it blindly. It meant the attention of his plan of action, it meant a trifle more of danger; and a gratuitous risk at that, but it was genius—genius!

"Miss Durant!" He made sure that the others were beyond the range of



"Miss Durant!"

his voice. "Miss Durant! I said he sent no word to you; that was true as far as I knew the truth, but there's one letter he started to write—just at the last . . . it wasn't addressed to anyone; I didn't know who it was for. I brought it with me on the chance that I'd find out. I didn't want to speak of it before every one, because if it's yours, I thought you'd . . . you understand, don't you? I'm almost positive it was meant for you. It's only a few lines . . . he wasn't ever strong enough to finish it . . . I've got it at the hotel now. May I bring it to you tomorrow?"

She held her breath for an instant; her mouth quivered. She looked at him searchingly.

"Surely. I . . . I live just across on the corner, Mr. Hilliard. The brick house. Can you come early?"

"How soon?" He was telling himself that his former passions were atrophied; she was no longer able to disquiet him. His inspiration was commercial—strictly commercial.

"In the morning? At . . . eleven?"

"I'll come gladly."

"And . . . and I want to thank you now," she said in a tone which would have fallen as a blessing upon the ears of any other man alive, "for speaking as though you loved him. And for all you did for him. Perhaps you know already . . . perhaps you can't know . . . but I'm trying to tell you, because he was . . . he was one of my very dearest friends."

His brain snapped; he bent down to her.

"You loved him—too?" he said, uncontrollably.

"Yes," she said. "Once—I loved him, too!"

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Alone in the appointed guest room of the Cullen home—for Mr. Cullen had been as good as his word, and sent a car to fetch his visitor's belongings—Hilliard lighted a cigarette (an acquired taste, but advisable as a minor deception, since he had been notorious for his taste in cigars) and grinned expansively. Leisurely he began to undress, but before his shoes were quite unlaced, he sat back comfortably in his chair and meditated.

"All serene so far," he said. "But when Carol came in . . ." He shook his head vigorously. "Well, it's over . . . anyway." The doctor . . . Hilliard's face darkened. "There's the man I want to get at! Plotted hypocrite! And he didn't think I deserved to be in the family! Sort of hate to let him make money out of this deal, but it's all in the game. Coals of fire! But ten thousand's a lot from the doctor . . . well say ten thousand."

He closed his eyes dreamily; and his thoughts reverted from Doctor Durant to the doctor's daughter.

"Carol—Carol!" he murmured. "One minute there, I thought I'd crack. And I was 'one of her dearest friends.' I was, was I? And she loved me—once. Once! Pity it wasn't twice! Pity she and the doctor didn't say so the night they kicked me out so neatly. Well, . . . business is business. And after they've made their money out of it, and found out this man Hilliard's some little gold-plated whirlwind all by himself . . . Gad! can't I see their faces when they get the word for it?"

With the cigarette drooping from his lips, he stood up and swept a clear space in the table. From his suitcase he exhumed a tablet of thin transparent writing paper of a kind not sold in America; it was the paper on which the letter to Cullen from Richard Morgan had been written, and it was sheer luck that Hilliard had brought the reminder of the tablet from New York with him. He tossed a blob of ink from his fountain pen and inspected it critically.

"Too black," he decided, and went to the bathroom, where he half-emptied the reservoir of the pen and refilled it with water.

"That ought to be just about right . . . sort of pale and mysterious and war-strength."

He seated himself at the table, took the pen in his left hand and inscribed circles on the paper; scribbled a meaningless sentence and laughed gently.

"Funny how some people can be ambidextrous and take so long to realize it. If I hadn't caught a bullet in my arm, and tried to write left-handed in the hospital, I'd give myself away up here in no time. Writing's too blamed distinctive. But, as it is, left Hand, very large and plain, is Henry Hilliard—" Here he shifted the pen to the other hand—"And Right—and small and curlicue, is poor, dead Dicky Morgan—'one of her dearest friends.' I'm glad I killed that chap off—he never amounted to a hill of beans anyway. But this Hilliard person—a live wire, boy, a live wire!"

And with a grin of sardonic humor, he wrote on the flimsy paper, slowly, and a little irregularly, as though in physical discomfort:

"Neuilly, 7-19-15.

"No matter what you ever think, no matter what you have ever thought, I have loved you."

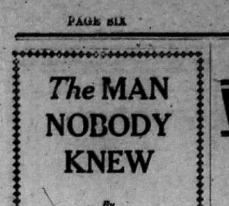
He grimaced, pondered diligently, and made a correction.

"I have always loved you more than my own life. You said my ideals had fallen—do you think so now? I don't, dearest; I think they're almost what you would have them. And it may be that simply because of that, I've loved you more every day, and—"

Hilliard sat back, and his eyes were softly luminous.

"Suppose, by the luck of the very devil, I should fall in love with her again?" he said aloud. "Suppose I should!" He tossed away his cigarette and rested his head in his hands. "Oh, Carol! I did care . . . !" His shoulders shook spasmodically; then all at once he flung himself out of the chair and took to tramping the floor in a hurricane of emotion. His face was set in granite; he caught sight of it in a mirror, halted and himself was stunned by the transcendent mask which covered his soul in revolt. The work of the surgeons was not far short of miraculous; he couldn't upset it, not by any effort of his will. The eyes might flash, or lower, or chill—the other features were still calm and strong in their splendid glory. Even now, the face which he saw reflected in the mirror was one to convert the most hurried of all passing strangers to a new, if unformed, assurance in the brotherhood of man.

"You dirty blackguard!" said Hilliard, showing his teeth. He went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Hilliard Was Staring Fixedly.

pensively back to the letter, studied it, gazed at the floor.

"But after all," he said, "no matter what she or anybody else did to me . . . and if I can kill two birds with one stone, and be what I've wanted to be—all except this damnable way of going about it. . . . She acted as though this infernal lying letter would please her—that's not the point; it's a quicker way to get at the doctor. . . . Well, it gets him a letter I never intended to write . . . and Dutour's war cross, too . . . that'll make it all the easier. . . . I'll give her that. Angels was going to have it, still. . . . So I was 'one of her dearest friends,' was I? What's that worth to Henry Hilliard, bringing back the news from the front?" He sniffed scornfully. "Ten thousand dollars—I hope. And the doctor'll make twenty out of it. . . . Gad! that's turning the other cheek with a vengeance! Hanged if I don't almost wish he'd lose his rotten money! But that can't be helped—I'll get some satisfaction somehow."

He reread the unfinished note, folded it, creased it heavily for versimilitude, and gave it the final examination.

"Business . . . is business," he said, musing. "That was a pretty sporty thing for me to do . . . to tell her there was a letter. Bit of a chance, too. And after smashing our engagement, she could stand there and tell me . . . oh, rubbish! So suppose we say . . . fifteen thousand from the doctor! But confound it—the better salesman I am, the more I get out of him, the more he makes! Whew! Where's the satisfaction in that? . . ."

His pupils had narrowed again, giving the lie to the sweetness of his smiling mouth. Then the smile faded and Hilliard was staring fixedly at the document in his hands.

"I wonder who in thunder that man Armstrong is?" said the masquerader who had prided himself that he no longer cared.

CHAPTER V.

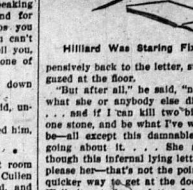
He wakened early; and in that state of half-conscious revery which has less of worldliness in it than perhaps any other state of human existence, he lay vegetating, subtly aware that he was very peaceful and content; but presently, when his brain had yawned and stretched itself, and begun to set about its usual functions (or, in other words, when Hilliard was sufficiently aroused to resume his usual introspectiveness) he was extremely unhappy, and not in the least vainglorious.

He scowled, and struggled to remember what it was that had risen out of thin air and angered him last night, at the very instant of his dropping off to sleep. Not the Cullens, nor Carol himself, nor Armstrong . . . but waft a moment! Who was Armstrong? Whence and whither, Armstrong? A newcomer to Syracuse (that is, within two years) and already proprietary—Hilliard frowned, and rubbed his eyes, and wondered anew. He was a trifle amused and a trifle ashamed of himself; was it credible that he could be jealous of a man who had merely appropriated what Hilliard had no further interest in? How inconsistent . . . and yet how properly characteristic of human nature! Hilliard chuckled to himself in recognition of it and dismissed the proposition as unworthy of further attention. Dismissed it, yes . . . as a child dismisses a rubber ball with an elastic cord attached to it.

From below stairs a Japanese gong chimed softly and Hilliard, without delaying another instant, leaped to the floor. Half an hour later, bathed, shaved and dressed, he descended complacently; the second day of his remarkable performance was begun.

The Cullens, father and daughter, were waiting for him. They greeted him cheerfully; and he was glad that grief hadn't clung to their eyelids; he would have felt depressed, even although he would have sensed the hidden compliment. Quick to grasp the nearest handhold of diplomacy, he saw that cheerfulness on his own part would help the situation, for now that his duty as a courier was over, there was no need for long protracted melancholy.

It was a cheerful trio, then, that sat down to breakfast; there was no exhilaration about it, but at least there was no somber cloud of mourning. Angels, behind the coffee urn, had oc-



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casional moments of pensiveness, but that was to be expected, and continued; indeed, Hilliard held himself to be greatly favored by even this.

She was imaginative, and Hilliard's pose was calculated to appeal to a lively imagination. He treated her not as a young girl, but with the respectful deference which belongs to a mature woman, a mistress of a household, and a hostess in her own right. She was charmed and captivated, and so was her father—most assuredly he was! So charmed, in fact, that instead of leaving for his office at half-past eight, he lingered until half-past nine; so captivated, that as his limousine slid quietly down the long, steep hill of James street, he found himself ascribing a new degree of credit to Dicky Morgan for the simple reason that Dicky Morgan had gained the full esteem of such a friend as Hilliard.

A mighty nice young man, thought Cullen. A man of soundest judgment, through and through. A man of brilliant intellect and razor-edged analysis. Had he not said, and furnished illustrations from his broad experience, exactly what Cullen himself had said, in regard to labor, and materials, and transportation, and production, these half a dozen years? Cullen sat back and smiled triumphantly. It does a man good to hear his pet convictions approved, expanded and laid down as axioms by another wise man.

Back on the wide veranda Angels had curled up comfortably in the hammock and, beside her, Hilliard was enjoying a cigarette. He was enjoying, too, this rare interlude of respite; he looked across at Angels, and thanked his stars for the invitation which had made this quiet hour possible.

She lifted her eyes, caught Hilliard smiling at her and blushed furiously, not for any shame accruing to her, but because she had arrived at the age of easy blushes.

"I . . . suppose you're going over to Carol's pretty soon," she said, constrained to say something and grasping at the first available idea.

"So anxious to get rid of me?" he asked, amused.

"Oh, no!" Horror was in her tone and mortification. "Only . . . I wanted to talk to you before you saw Carol. Because Carol doesn't . . . I don't think she'll exactly feel as I do about this . . . I know she won't. Maybe it's because Dick and I were chums, and she and Dick were . . . oh, you know. It's different. You ought to take that into consideration—when you talk to her, I mean. I don't mean I don't care, because I do—terribly—but I . . . I can see what it meant to Dick . . . and I know how he'd have loved it, and picked this out of every possible way, to . . . end things, but Carol . . . she's different."

"How?" Hilliard's voice was even, but very low.

"Older," she said, looking away. "And . . . and they were going to marry each other some time."

"But wasn't that broken off?"

"Yes, but she was waiting."

"Waiting?"

"Why, of course."

Hilliard's breath quickened.

"I should have guessed that this Mr. Armstrong—"

"Oh, but that wasn't until she thought Dick wasn't ever coming back. And besides, she isn't really crazy about him—just lonesome."

"Indeed." Hilliard compelled himself to relax. "So you think she'll be . . . hurt?"

"Hurt?" Angels's voice was thin with emphasis. "Flatter!"

"If there's anything you think I'd better say, or not say—" He rose, out of sheer inability to endure this ingenuous estimate of Carol's heartache. "Perhaps you'll tell me—because it's time for me to be going over."

Angels had risen, too, and stood beside him. Her features were compressed, but still suggestive of inward emotions a little too tender to convey.

"If there's anybody in the world," she said, "who could give Carol any consolation just now, it's you. I don't suppose you ever were a minister, but you look as though everybody could come to you and tell 'most everything, and you'd help . . . anyway, you'd try to. So I wish you'd . . . you'd sit and listen . . . Carol's got to talk to somebody, and when you're hurt the way she is, you can't talk to your family . . . and you were a friend of Dick's. And . . ." She swallowed, and went on more slowly. "You can use your own judgment, of course, but if I were in your place—I'd lie."

"Lie!" he repeated, aghast.

"Yes, I would! He . . . he must have sent her some word, Mr. Hilliard! He must have!" She was desperately serious now, and thoroughly aroused. "It means the whole world to her! It's everything! Why, even I've got more than she has, and she was waiting for him to come back to her! I'd lie myself black in the face, but I'd tell her something—tell her anything I could think of to make her believe he hadn't stopped caring! It can't do any harm now. It can't hurt you. And I won't even ask you whether you do or not. Only you're here, and she'll trust you—"

"Will she?"

"How could she help it? And . . . and that's all. Please don't let her think he didn't care!"

Hilliard stood irresolute; chaos in his brain. "I'll . . . see," he said with difficulty. "I'll see."

"Won't you promise me? I won't ask you afterward, if you—"

"Does it mean so much to you?"

"Ever and ever so much. . . . Won't you please promise?"

He gazed at her a moment, yielded with a show of reluctance.

"Very well, I promise. Because you've asked it. And because it's the dearest, most generous, most thoughtful thing I ever heard of in all my life. . . . And after that, can't we be truly friends?"

Flushed, perplexed, honored, she gave him her hand with a hesitancy which betrayed the deep sense of compliment she felt.

"I don't think I could be prouder of anything that could possibly happen to me," she said.

Was it worth the blatant mummery he had conceived and executed? Was it not worth that, and infinitely more? She was proud of his friendship . . . and she shared that distinction with no one else in the entire universe.

Proud of it! Hilliard was fulsomely abashed. Abashed—yes, and simultaneously glorified. He had come to make the city proud, ignorantly proud, of the man whose deeds had merited no renown. Here, at the very inception of his plans, a seventeen-year-old girl was proud of him as he was. Courage. Inspiration. Resolve.

He had won her respect by the promise of a lie; and in this instant he vowed to deserve, by other and increasing lies if need be, the prestige he was unalterably committed to gain, whereby the past should be as nothing, and the future should be a magnificent citadel of reconquered dreams.

She was proud of him, and she had approved the lie in behalf of Dicky Morgan's memory. Unwittingly, she had sanctioned the very purpose of his coming, and the method of his approach. She had confirmed his own intentions, and given him the will to advance. He was to act as the staunch defender of her glamorous perished, and to make of himself a new and a better man, worthy of the eulogies which, as trustee, he now accepted for the unworthy Morgan. He consecrated himself to this end. Told himself fiercely that he would succeed. And she was proud of him! It was another omen.

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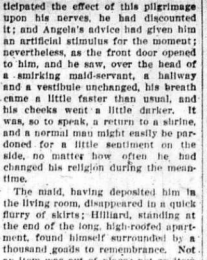
It was eleven o'clock to the minute when Hilliard, not quite so debonair as a wedding guest, and yet not altogether as doleful as a mourner, waved his hand to a slender girl who stood on the veranda of a house diagonally across the street, and went slowly up the Durants' brick walk. He had anticipated the effect of this pilgrimage upon his nerves, he had discounted it; and Angels's advice had given him an artificial stimulus for the moment; nevertheless, as the front door opened to him, and he saw, over the head of a smirking maid-servant, a hallway and a vestibule unchanged, his breath came a little faster than usual, and his cheeks went a little darker. It was so to speak, a return to a shrine, and a normal man might easily be pardoned for a little sentiment on the side, no matter how often he had changed his religion during the meantime.

The maid, having deposited him in the living room, disappeared in a quick flurry of skirts; Hilliard, standing at the end of the long, high-roofed apartment, found himself surrounded by a thousand goods to remembrance. Not an item was out of place; not an item was otherwise than as he had often recalled it; his memory had been photographic.

At the opposite end of the room, flanking the black-marbled fireplace, was a graceful, swan-necked sofa, beautifully carved and splendidly upholstered. Doctor Durant had once remarked that Carol represented the fifth successive generation of her family to be courted on it. And evening after evening, in the ages that had gone before, Hilliard had sat there and dreamed and loved; and sometimes when Carol had slipped away from him he had sat there and dreamed and loved and smoked, while she played Chopin and Rubinstein and Moscowski to him. And the piano—somewhat battle-scarred but withal a master in-



"Carol!"

strument—was still over in its accustomed place, with the "Military Polonaise" perched open on the rack.

Then his pupils narrowed to gray necks of ice; for memory, by one of those tricks against which there is no defense, told him that he stood in this same position, in exactly this same spot, when two years ago the doctor had pronounced his sentence, and Carol, in terrible silence, had then and there confirmed it. His imagination conjured up that scene again; his blood chilled; he could fancy that Carol and the doctor were actually before him, and that he was staring at them in the flesh, and feeling the lash of the doctor's quiet peroration. . . .

At the threshold there was a faint rustle of fabric, and Hilliard turned. Carol! His hands went out mechanically, and hers to him; and Hilliard, tasting the acid of his somber mood, smiled benignly.

"I mustn't keep you waiting," he said, dropping her hands. "I've brought you the letter I spoke about." He gave it to her, and coughed his embarrassment. "I'm positive it's for you. And I'm sure you don't want anything to prevent you from reading it at once, so if you'd rather prefer to have me come back later for the talk you wanted—"

He was already moving toward the doorway; she restrained him gently, although he does couldn't be dragged from the folded paper he had given her.

"No," she said, "please don't go. I particularly want you to meet my father, Mr. Hilliard. He's anxious to see you, too. Won't you wait while I call him?"

He inclined his head; followed her with his eyes to the hallway, strained his hearing, and knew that she had opened the letter as soon as she was out of his sight. His lips twitched cynically—and then, as he remembered Angels's injunction, straightened. After all, this much was pure charity. Down the hallway, there was the reverberation of a closing door, and silence.

It was perhaps five minutes before that door was reopened, and during the interval, Hilliard had an opportunity to wonder if the doctor had retired for the hours; otherwise, he should now be down in the Physicians' building, receiving patients. It occurred spontaneously to Hilliard that both Carol and her father were conceivably harassed by cogitation, but as he estimated the extent to which their sorrow might go . . . judging by Carol's distress of last night, and the potential truancy of the doctor today—he was possessed of gripping emotions. And they cared so deeply for him, then? Angels and Carol had said so; but he had doubted what he most wanted to believe. Was this additional proof? Had the doctor cared so deeply that in order to hold converse with Dick Morgan's sole executor, he would interrupt the sacred routine of his practice? Too late! Too late to care, too late to sympathize, only the winter garment of repentance was left for them! Hilliard couldn't comprehend why, when he had risen this morning so refreshed in mind and body, he should now be so unutterably wearied in both.

Carol returned, followed by a gentleman of sixty; and as the doctor entered, the room was suddenly permeated by an atmosphere of calm, and kindly peace. He was a large man, large of feature, and large of instinct; his forehead was that of an intellectualist; his eyes were those of a dreamer; his chin denoted rugged capabilities, and the stubbornness of unswerving ethics.

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HOW AND WHEN TO DESTROY WEEDS

The best time to destroy weeds is within two or three days after the first pair of leaves has formed on the seedling plant, says the Dominion Seed Commissioner in his bulletin on "Weeds and Weed Seeds." In friable soils the "weeder" is a useful implement for that purpose. The "tilling" harrow is also satisfactory for comparatively loose soils and is preferred as a weed destroyer on firm or clayey land. Weeds are irregular in time of germination; consequently it is necessary to apply the weeder or harrow frequently throughout the growing season. Potatoes, or fields of corn and cereal grains when sown with a drill, may advantageously be cultivated with such implements once or twice before the crop distinctly shows above ground, and again, with corn and ordinary grain crops, when the plants are three to six inches high. Even relatively heavy harrows ordinarily in use will do little damage to the potatoes, corn or grain plants if the land is not wet, while the loosening of the surface soil benefits the crop in addition to the destruction of the weeds.

For perennial weeds, or seedlings that have become well rooted, a cultivator having a diamond-shaped or other relatively broad shares is needed for hood crops. The disc is a favored implement for destroying weeds in a summer fallow or in preparing seed bed. Whn, however, it is desird to unearth and remove the rootstocks of perennial weeds, such as couch grass, a narrow-toothed cultivator that will loosen the soil and bring the underground vegetative parts to the surface is preferred to an implement that will cut the rootstocks, the small cuttings of which may be exceedingly persistent in growth.

CHINESE JOSS SAFEGUARDS LINER

1. Costumed actors rest from their antics. 2. The altar and offering. 3. The "Empress of Asia" aboard which the other pictures were taken.

In a little steel bound compartment for'ard a hundred Canton Coolies stand or squat in the stifling heat, which seems to draw through the walls in sticky beads, molten from the sea without. The sickening smell of sunk and burning Sandal wood pervades the heavy atmosphere, and the ear is tortured by the wail of musicless instruments of reed and string, and the monotonous tump, tump, tump of a skinny knuckle on a native drum. The dim light is thrown by two long tallow candles which burn before and cast wavering rays upon, a hideous Joss, the grotesqueness of which is accentuated and exaggerated by the moving shadows on its face. Before this Joss, which the coolies garbed coolies revere in their silence, is a platter of fruit and chicken—their humble offering. But the food offering does not suffice to win the good graces of this terrible and austere god, neither does the so-called music sufficiently influence it on behalf of its subjects, therefore, that their wishes may be gratified and its evil designs be brought to confusion, costumed suppliearnts for its mercy dance before it, describing with painted paper streamers, long curves, dashes and abrupt swings, indicating that before it can turn loose its wrath upon the ship in which they are about to sail, the god of the seas and winds must flow all the difficult avenues described.

So, according to the belief of the Chinese members of their crews, are the Canadian Pacific "Empresses" accorded safe passage across the Pacific. For forty years the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., have operated on the Pacific without any serious accident and practically no loss of life, and the Chinese are confident that this record has been achieved only by reason of their exorcism of the evil god. Respectful of the religious belief, and fancies of all its passengers, the company allows the Orientals to practise their religious rites with ceremony, and the privileged occidental can watch the proceedings with amused and smiling but unexpressed unbelief.

HIS FIRST BIOGRAPHY

PREMIER OF CANADA IS HERO OF THIS BOOK.

Son of Daniel McGillicuddy a Famous Old-time Liberal. Writes the Life of W. L. Mackenzie King, Grandson of the Little Rebel—This Coincidence Has Its Picturesque Side.

Writing the biography of a Canadian Premier is a delicate and difficult task which falls to the lot of few authors. Less than a dozen men have achieved this distinction. The most recent addition to this small coterie is Owen McGillicuddy, who has done the life of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.

Mr. McGillicuddy, recognizing his leader to be still almost at the beginning of his political career, does not pretend to have written a complete history of Mr. King's life. Indeed, his title, "The Making of a Premier," subtly suggests there is more to follow. The story itself ends when the Premier is made, only fifteen pages of the volume being given to that period.

Although this is his first effort in this particular branch of writing, Mr. McGillicuddy has made contributions to Canada's literature, including a volume of poetry.

In his younger days Mr. McGillicuddy had the knack of telling a stirring tale in rhyme. "Way back in 1899, when his father, Daniel McGillicuddy, was in charge of the Liberal press campaign, he contributed to the triumph of the party by writing a rollicking song that became exceedingly popular. The chorus ran:

Hurrah for Tarte, so bright and smart;
Hurrah for Laurier, too;
And McGillicuddy, and everybody
Who licked the Tupper crew!

Mr. McGillicuddy has written much better verse since that time, but his sentiments remain the same. The great business of life is to "lick the Tories."

For some years Owen McGillicuddy was associated with his father in the publication of the Daily News, at Calgary. This was in the boom days, and, as the Herald and the Albertan were diversified newspaper ventures and had capital reserves to fall back upon when the inevitable slump came, the Daily News had to drop out of the running. It was a lively sheet while it lasted, and certainly made things interesting for its competitors—and others.

One of the remembered incidents of the McGillicuddy invasion of the western field was the feud which developed between that family and the late Bob Edwards, editor of the Eye Opener. This lasted several years, in fact, it never was healed, and only petered out because the editor's misfortune placed too great a physical distance for quick repartee between the principals, and also, perhaps, because the public eventually tired of it.

Bob Edwards admitted, in after years, that the McGillicuddys were the only men who had ever been able to "get under his skin." The racy, mordant style in which McGillicuddy paid his compliments to Bob Edwards is very different from the sober presentation of Premier King's claims to fame. It could not be otherwise, for the two occupied opposite poles in the writer's affections.

Mackenzie King's biography was out within a year of his elevation.

Sir John A. Macdonald, who had been Premier before Confederation, was also twice Premier since that event, Beckett Collins' biography appeared in book form.

Alexander Mackenzie's biography, by Buckingham and Ross, was not published until after his death.

Sir John Thompson's biography, hastily written and not exactly satisfactory to imperial students of history, appeared a few months after he had passed away.

Sir Charles Tupper, during his long life of political activity, was "written up" only in a small paper-bound book by Thibault. More ambitious volumes were produced after the veteran retired from public life, including his own "Reminiscences."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier had been sixteen years leader of his party and seven years Premier, when Sir John Willison published his voluminous work.

Sir John Abbott died thirty years ago but his biographer has not yet appeared.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell has also been dead many years, and no work of his life has been written.

Sir Robert Borden, twenty years leader of the Conservative party and ten years Premier, including part of the most stirring period of Canada's history, still lacks a printed record of his life and works.

Arthur Meighen's short but stirring spell of service also awaits the propitious moment.

Why Does a Railway Engine Puff?

The power that makes an engine move is steam, which, putting the matter simply, rushes into a cylinder and forces a piston along. The piston being connected to other mechanism in such a way that the movement is transmitted to the wheels.

The steam which has entered the cylinder and done its work has to escape, to make room for more, so the engineer has arranged for this spent steam to escape through an exhaust valve and so out of the funnel. It is this which makes the puff. This action is repeated in order to drive the cylinder back. So there are two puffs to one complete revolution of the wheels. As most engines have two cylinders, we hear four puffs.

When the engine starts, the "works" as it were go slowly, and we hear separate and distinct puffs.

When, however, the train is well in motion, everything is speeded up, and the "exhausts" follow so rapidly on one another that instead of hearing separate and distinct puffs we get them rolled into one sound—a steady, monotonous purr.

A Good Cook.

"Did you engage the cook, dear?" "Yes, I did." "Do you think she's a good cook?" "She ought to be—she says she goes to church twice every Sunday."

A Shrewd Question.

Passenger: "Guard, have I time to say 'Good-bye' to my wife at the barrier?" Guard: "How long have you been married, sir."

THE SEARCH FOR GOLD.

Scientist Recalls One of the Romances of History.

One of the many romances of mining was referred to by Mr. J. B. Tyrrell in an address before the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

In 1576, three years after the rich gold mines of Minas Geraes in Brazil had been discovered, Queen Elizabeth, one of the great sailors of the Elizabethan period, sailed from London in search of a northwest passage to Asia, where fabulous stores of metallic riches were believed to exist. He was stopped by ice in a bay on the east side of Baffin Island, since called Frobisher Bay, and returned to England. One of the sailors brought home a black rock which an Italian alchemist named Agnello, in defiance of the London goldsmiths, pronounced to contain gold. Thereupon preparations were made for a second voyage the following year, Frobisher being "more specially directed by commission for the searching more of this gold ore than for the searching any further discovery of the passe."

A charter was issued to the Company of Cathay, and a number of ships were collected, including a large one provided by Queen Elizabeth. This fleet left the Thames on May 27, 1577, and after a severe storm reached that portion of Frobisher Bay where "we found good store of gold ore, our thinking plainly to bee seen, whereupon it was thought best to load here than to seek further for better." Frobisher loaded his ship with 200 tons of this mineral and returned to England. Most of this ore was stored in Bristol Castle, and the rest in the Tower of London. The Queen commanded four locks to be placed on the doors of the treasure, the keys of which were to be handed over to Frobisher, Michael Lock, Warden of the Tower, and the Master of the Mint. But the experts differed about the value of the rocks. One assayer claimed that if properly "treated and coaxed" the ore would yield £40 to the ton, but Sir W. Winter wrote that he could not get a furnace hot enough "to bring the work to the desired perfection." Finally it was admitted that the ore was "poor in respect of that brought last year and that which we know may be brought next year."

Popular interest was roused in this gold discovery, and it was decided to send out a third expedition. The Queen, "besides other good gifts and greater promises, bestowed upon the general a fair chain of gold," and Frobisher sailed with fifteen vessels in May, 1578. Having arrived near the site, one of the captains discovered "a great black island with plenty of black ore on it." Some of the ships were loaded with this "ore" and the fleet returned, but it was found to be worthless.

The scene of Frobisher's mining operations was unvisited for nearly three centuries until the American explorer, Captain C. F. Hall, found relics there in 1862. Mr. Tyrrell thinks that it is possible that the black rocks referred to by these old sailors may have belonged to the Keewatin series of pre-Cambrian rocks which is yielding such large quantities of gold in Porcupine at the present day. Frobisher Bay, on Baffin Island is north of Hudson Strait, and, if Mr. Tyrrell's conjecture is correct, the pre-Cambrian formation which surrounds the lower portion of Hudson Bay and James Bay to a depth of hundreds of miles also extends away to the north. It is this formation which geologists and mining engineers believe will make Canada the richest mining country in the world.

ALL MEN ARE BROTHERS.

The Relationship of Canada to International Labor.

Albert Thomas' recent visit to Canada, as director of the International Labor Office at Geneva, has helped to awaken Canadian interest in the work of that organization. Canadian public opinion is whole-heartedly behind the League of Nations. As it becomes better known that the International Labor Office is closely associated with the League of Nations, it is becoming popular and is regarded with the League in public confidence. An inspiring aspect of Canadian interest in the International Labor Office is that Canada has become more to give than to receive, at least in the present stage of international labor development. As in other British dominions, the manual workers in Canada enjoy as rights many of the advantages which the workers in some less happily situated countries have still to attain.

Agricultural labor, for instance, in some European countries may some day be helped toward attaining greater economic independence through the establishment of agricultural colleges and experimental farms. Canada has a very fine system of experimental farms entirely at the service of the Canadian farmers, and agricultural colleges are maintained by the several Canadian provinces where the agricultural workers and their sons and daughters can obtain the necessary education for modern farming. Through the International Labor Office, Canada's experience in this direction is placed freely at the disposal of the workers in all other countries.

The International Labor Office should continue to grow in usefulness. It is founded on the high ideals of the allied and associated powers who signed the Peace Treaty. In the preamble to Part XIII. of the treaty, establishing the International Labor Office, the declaration is made that the League of Nations has for its object the establishment of universal peace, "and such a peace can be established only if it is based upon social justice." After affirming that an improvement of labor conditions is urgently required, it further declared: "The failure of any nation to adopt humane conditions of labor is an obstacle in the way of other nations which desire to improve the conditions in their own countries." Canada's interest in the work of the International Labor Office may be taken as evidence that Canadians are becoming more aware that there is one great family relationship between the workers in all countries, and that condition at home can be improved by helping in the task of improving international conditions.

Calais.

The city of Calais, France, has started a municipal dairy and dairy farm, the milk from which is to be tested by health officers and the cows fed scientifically to keep the quality up to that prescribed for young babies.

This Scoundrel Had Polish

American detectives are on the lookout for Arthur Ainscough, an Englishman, who probably deserves hanging as much as anyone who has suffered the death penalty in recent years, although it is not suggested that he is guilty of murder. He is wanted on charges of bigamy, fraud and abduction, but since it is not known in what part of the world he is living, the difficulties in the way of his capture are obvious. So far as is known, his most detestable crime was the abduction of a seventeen-year-old girl named Ivy Dwyer, of Edgewater, N.J. She has been gone now for seventeen months, and her mother, who has continued a search for her all that time, is convinced now that she is either dead or has been made a white slave. Ivy left her home for a five-minute walk with Ainscough and has not since been heard of. A year ago the mother received a letter from Ainscough, written evidently for the purpose of wounding her, and telling her that her daughter was well, but refused to have nothing further to do with her, and even expressing the doubt that she was indeed Mrs. Davey's child.

Ainscough, who is described as a well-spoken Englishman of good appearance, became acquainted with the Davey family a couple of years ago. He came gallantly to the rescue of one of the Davey boys who was having trouble with a motor-boat, whose engine had ceased to function, and who was in danger of being carried out to sea. Ainscough was then an officer on a private yacht anchored in the vicinity, and his pleasant English accent made an impression upon young Davey, because it was the accent of his own father and mother. He invited Ainscough home so that his parents might thank him, and the Englishman soon became popular with the whole family. He said he intended to stay in the neighborhood for some time, expecting a position with the Shipping Board, so the Daveys courteously invited him to become their guest. He accepted, and through his attentions to all of the Daveys, and his general air of helpfulness and considerateness thoroughly established himself in their good graces.

He found Mrs. Davey his confidante, and told her of his English home and of his adventures in different parts of the world. He seemed to have expectations, and since he represented himself as only twenty-six years old, it is likely that Mrs. Davey considered that he might make a suitable match for Ivy, then a charming girl in the first flush of womanhood. It occurred to her to make some inquiries, so she wrote to Ainscough's mother, but to her disappointment received no reply. She began vaguely to doubt Ainscough, and on this point he was particularly sensitive. He would become highly indignant at any slight or suspicion of his honesty. Finally Ivy finds it impossible to believe. One evening in September, 1921, Mrs. Davey was somewhat alarmed to see Ivy and Ainscough walking out together. The girl explained that she had not forgotten her mother's warning about being alone with Ainscough, but that he had simply met her on her way home.

Ivy went to her room and changed to the older clothes she wore when helping about the house, and when she came downstairs Ainscough remarked that new lights had been put on the state road, and suggested that he and the girl should walk out to see them. Mrs. Davey demurred, but Ivy slipped on an old coat and "am o' shanter," and saying they would be back in five minutes, walked off with Ainscough. The last thing she said was that her mother was to call for her before beginning the dishwashing. When she did not return in an hour or so her parents began to search for her. Fears that she might have gone with Ainscough in a boat were raised to a pitch of terror, as a tremendous storm blew up. Since enough the next day it was found that a small boat of Ainscough's was missing, and some believe that the pair met death in it while the gale was at its height.

The next day the police were notified, and a general search was made, but not a trace was found. The months passed, and Mrs. Davey wrote again to Ainscough's mother. She received an answer this time, which showed that Ainscough had deceived her as to his position, for Ainscough's mother was working for her living. She also said that her son was much older than he had represented himself to be and was married, with a child in England. Other enquiries brought equally damaging information. The man seemed to have several wives, and to have been in trouble with the police on several occasions, and one American wife wrote to say that Ainscough had frequently beaten her. Later on came the letter from Ainscough himself, posted in New York. The police were quickly on the trail, but were unable to find the bigamist and abductor. Mrs. Davey has little hope that, even if he should be found, she will ever see her daughter again.

Candle Test for Eggs.

There is an absolutely certain test for the freshness of eggs which anyone can carry out. Egg shells seen under a powerful microscope are found to be full of tiny pores, through which air gradually leaks in as the egg grows older. When it is quite fresh the egg contains a bubble of air little bigger than a pea. This increases in size day by day until at the end of a fortnight it is almost the size of a walnut.

The air bubble can be seen quite easily if the egg is placed between a strong light and the eye.

The best way of carrying out the test is to make a cardboard screen containing a hole the shape and size of an average egg. Place this in front of a lighted candle and hold the eggs up one by one to the hole. The air space can now be seen quite easily. If the eggs is quite new laid, it will be no larger than the little finger nail; but, in the case of an old stager, it will appear as large as a shilling.

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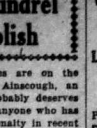

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TOUGHEST OF ALL TOWNS.

Peep at Tia Juana Where Winter Race Meet Is Held.

Every newspaper reader who is at all interested in sports is more or less familiar with what goes on at Tia Juana, Mexico, where the greatest winter race-track meet on the continent takes place. "Dead game" sports know exactly what the ponies are doing day by day, and there are thousands of bookmakers in hundreds of cities who, figuratively speaking, have never closed up, for Tia Juana tickler for several hours every day.

Of the town itself, little is known by the distant betting fraternity. Which is perhaps just as well. Tia Juana (pronounced Te-ewa Wonna) is not a place to which to take the family.

It is a small, mean, sordid town, this locale of the so-called "Sport of Kings." No Board-building Commission had a hand in laying out, no Development Association had a word to say. Like Topsy, it just grew, and to-day it looks like the backwash slums of Gopher Prairie in the last stages of disintegration.

Tia Juana would provide glorious propaganda for prohibitionists. Only actual count there are sixty-five saloons always ready to do business, while Ensenada, a few miles to the south, are dignified by the name of "Cantinas," and those housed in shacks solid enough to stand the strain individually, but scarcely at sixty or the Mexican flag.

There is no difficulty in getting almost anything that is said to drink in these establishments. "Canadian Club" costs thirty-five cents a glass, and the bartender has a habit to prove that once bought a bottle of the real stuff in the house. The label is a palpable imitation of the real thing, but the bartender does not bother to explain that to the customers. So long as the stuff has a "bite" they are satisfied.

American cocktails cost half a dollar, and are only ordered when the ponies have run true to form. As a general thing the favorite beverages are tequila (pronounced Tee-ka), which is made of the juice of the agave, and "tequila," the composition of which is a mystery.

Bartenders always recommend strangers to drink tequila, some say it has a family resemblance to gin, others compare it favorably with Scotch and rye, and praise it as not so poisonous, but the greatest argument in its favor is that the house will not pay one red cent for it. Tequila costs two-bits a shot, served in a glass that is wasted regularly at the close of the racing season.

Every day sees a large influx of thoroughbreds assembled at the race track, accompanied by as motley a crowd as ever settled a point or split a hair. Every day there is some crooning at the tracks, and the Mexican army is called upon to supervise the disorder.

The Tia Juana army is one of the chief features of the place. Its like never was on land or sea. The soldiers are bedecked, brilliantly, but stripped, bemedalled, and ornamented with gigantic swords which are forever upon the least provocation, the better to impress the rabble. The army struts solemnly, swears fluently, and smokes cigarros incessantly.

By day Tia Juana is a squalid, tidy-swept place, depressing when first viewed near the end of the sixteen-mile auto ride from San Diego, squalid when seen at close range. Most of the inhabitants look upon the stranger as their prey; the furtive-looking men who operate the gambling machines always seem to be reaching for a knife or a gun, but lacking the nerve to go through with it.

The women are what one might expect, the outcasts of a continent, harpies clutching stray morsels in a field of carrion.

Where Water Power Is Large.

The potential water power of the world is estimated to have an aggregate of 429,000,000 horse-power at minimum or low water. Of this there are 62,000,000 horse-power is in North America, and the United States claims 28,000,000. Of the undeveloped power, Africa is credited with 190,000,000 horse-power; Asia, with 71,000,000; South America, 54,000,000; and Europe, 45,000,000. The total capacity of the water-power stations of France is 1,400,000 horse-power; Norway, 1,350,000; Sweden, 1,200,000; and Switzerland, 1,070,000. The world's largest development is at Niagara Falls, where the total is 840,000 horse-power.

Canada Buys Well.

Canada is reported to be the biggest buyer at the British Industries Fair at the White City. During the first week Canadians outbid even the Americans. Canadian manufacturers who are exhibiting at the fair for the first time, also report good business, particularly in two unrelated products, condensed milk and wall paper.

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Mrs. H. W. Kelly has purchased the former Henry house on Dundas street west, and will convert it into four apartments.

The ice around the piers of the swing bridge was dynamited on Monday to prevent damage to the bridge during the break-up.

Pennsylvania Anthracite pea coal, also egg, stove and chestnut sizes.
19 VANLUVEN'S COAL YARD.

Mrs. Margaret Armstrong Breden Ham, widow of the late George I. Ham, was married in London, England, on Thursday, to Sir Henry Sharpe, Sc'y of the Government of India. Mrs. Ham was given away by her son, Mr. Harry Ham, who is a cinema actor.

Mrs. Lena Hall, nee Lena Lloyd, formerly of Napanee, has been granted a divorce at Chicago, Ill., from her husband, Frank Hall, formerly of Deseronto. Mr. and Mrs. Hall also lived at Belleville for some years. The reasons given for granting divorce were extreme and repeated cruelty, adultery and wilful desertion.

At H. W. Kelly's grocery you can get good Green Tea 50c. per lb.; Navel Oranges, 40c. doz.; Orange Marmalade in 4-lb. jars, 90c.; also Sweet Wrinkle Peas, a fresh shipment of Heinz Products, Pickles, Catsup, Pork and Beans, Tomato Soup, a car of Purity Flour just arrived. Fresh Marshmallow cake, 25c. lb. We have a fresh lot of plants in bloom this week. When you want Coffee don't forget Kelly's famous blend, it's the best. Highest price for butter and eggs. See us before you sell.

Campbell House Corner.

An interesting ceremony took place at the church of St. Mary Magdalene, at noon, on Tuesday, April 3rd, when Miss Stella Agnes Sweitzer, of East St. Louis, Ill., was united in matrimony to the Rv. Henry Kerr Coleman, incumbent of the parish of Parham. The celebrant was the Rev. J. H. Coleman, M.A., rural dean and Vicar of the church of Napanee, father of the groom. The bride looked charming and was given away by her sister, Mrs. F. Verder. The bridesmaid was Miss Winslow, Boston, Mass. J. M. Simpson, Napanee, ably supported the groom as best man. Among the guests were Mrs. Verder, East St. Louis, Ill., Miss Winslow, Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Alex McPhail, Kingston.

Belleville, April 8—Nicholas A. Peterson, possibly the oldest Freemason of this city, died here at his home, Dundas street west, at the age of 97 years, after one month's illness. Deceased was born in Ameliasburg township, and was a son of Lieut.-Col. Samuel Peterson, one of United Empire Loyalists, of Adolphustown.

During the greater part of his life he followed farming, and some 23 years ago he removed to this city. He was a charter member of Lake Lodge of Freemasons, Ameliasburg, and he was a Captain in the 49th Prince Edward Battalion, and saw active service in 1866. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Until the last he preserved his faculties unimpaired. He leaves his widow, one son, Gordon, of Belleville, and three daughters, Mrs. Harold E. Plowman, Hamilton; Miss Annie Peterson, and Miss Edna Peterson. Deceased was a lifelong Liberal. Burial will be at Albury.

BIRTHS

Curry—At Napanee, on Monday, March 19th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Curry, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

Coleman — Sweitzer — At St. Mary Magdalene Church, Napanee, on Tuesday, April 3rd, 1923, by Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, Rev. Henry K. Coleman, of Parham, Ont., to Stella Agnes Sweitzer, of East St. Louis, Ill.

DEATHS

Cadman — At Richmond, on Monday, April 2nd, 1923, Jas. Cadman, aged 57 years.

Neely—At Lemberg, Sask., on Friday, April 6th, 1923, Henry Neely, aged 64 years, 6 months.

O'Neil—On March 29th, 1923, at the family residence, 6826 Hudson street, Vancouver, B.C., Martha Ryan O'Neill, mother of Dr. F. H. O'Neill, in her 74th year. Mrs. O'Neill was a former well-known resident of Napanee.

Milk cans, dairy pails, sugar making supplies, chicken foods and grits. DAVY & ALLISON.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Gibbard, Mrs. Leacock, Guelph, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gibbard.

Mrs. C. Robertson, Preston, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. U. Laidley.

Mrs. W. H. Milsap is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leacock, Guelph.

Miss Leah Sherwood and Miss Roe, New York, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sherwood.

Miss Hilda Friendship Kingston, spent last week the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. S. Derry.

Dr. McKinnon, Renfrew, spent last week the guest of Mrs. W. C. Scott.

Mrs. Robt. Foster, Renfrew, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Robert Webster.

Mrs. John Miller, Darlington, Man., is the guest of Mrs. Edwin Miller.

Mrs. W. N. Trejeavin, Toronto, spent Easter week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Harrison, Cobourg, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sherwood.

Miss M. Howitt spent the holidays at Waterloo, Quebec.

Miss Belleville, of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Solmes.

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Mrs. Harold Denison, Toronto, spent Easter with her father, Mr. O. S. Davis, South Napanee.

Mrs. Dalton, Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dalton.

Mrs. W. E. Miller, of Rochester, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. W. Conway, Mill street.

Mr. Harry McNeill, Brockville, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McNeill.

Mrs. F. H. Henry and children, Belleville, and Mrs. E. F. Lake, Deseronto, spent last Tuesday at Mrs. R. Z. Bush's.

Mr. Hamilton Lake, Belleville, spent Tuesday at Mrs. R. Z. Bush's.

Miss Gladys Bush leaves on Thursday for Detroit, Mich., and other points west, where she expects to spend the summer with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Doller gave a delightful dinner party on Monday evening of last week in honor of Mrs. W. S. Herrington on the eve of her departure for England.

Mrs. C. W. Conway, who is in the Kingston General Hospital, having undergone an operation on Friday last, we are pleased to say is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Percy Lake and two boys, Wilfred and Morley, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Garrison, Centre street.

Mr. Jack Adams, who has just finished the season playing professional hockey with the St. Pats has joined the sales staff of Wilmot & Chapman, local Ford dealers.

Mr. Boyce Drew, Ford mechanic, who has been unable to work for the past four months, owing to injury to his knee, has accepted a position with Wilmot & Chapman, local Ford dealers.

Messrs. H. W. Cunningham, Napanee, and Stratford Murphy, Enterprise, were successful in passing their second class examinations at the Kingston Dairy School.

STELLA.

The country roads are clear of snow in many places and wheels are coming into use.

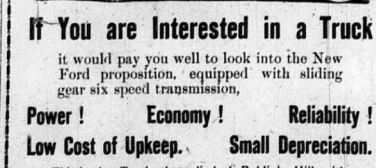
The stage made a trip to the city on Monday last.

J. E. McFern is repairing the Stella wharf.

Mrs. E. J. Cousins' farm on the Front road, consisting of 110 acres, was sold by public auction to George Beanbein for $3,000.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gibson attended Mr. Shillington's sale at Millhaven on March 27th.

Harvey, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Eves, underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Kingston General Hospital last week.



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Fashion has created two charming groups,—

In one group you will find clever interpretations of the new "Russian or Blouse" Silhouette. These types are particularly charming for Misses, and are so wonderfully designed as to fit slender and stout figures alike. These suits are usually ornamented with braiding or embroidery. "Box-Back" suits also come within the realm of Misses styles. They are decidedly wearable.

The second group features tailored and semi-tailored styles. Suits with jackets that are finger-tip length, that are belted all around, that have notched lapels and slender sleeves, or that have tuxedo collars with half-bell sleeves. Fine ribbing, narrow tucks and elegant embroidery adds much to the finish and detail of these garments.

In "Both" groups Tricotine and Poiret Twill are the correct materials, while Navy Blue and Black are leading colors.

You will find our suits at $25.00, $35.00, $37.50, $45.00 and $50.00 real wonderful values.

AS THE SEASON ADVANCES NEW STYLES APPEAR IN MILLINERY

THE LARGE HATS MAKE A STRONG BID FOR POPULARITY

Our "French Room" is showing some truly wonderful creations in millinery. The women who are still considering "The Hat" question will be well advised to give special attention to the importance of "The Large Hat." Eminent style creators predict a "wide vogue for this style during late spring and summer."

Several of these larger hats are combinations of exceedingly fine Italian Milan straws and satins. Beautiful flowers of exquisite colorings are used exclusively for trimmings.

Hats composed entirely of shot silk are also just arriving in the field. These come in medium sizes and are trimmed with flowers and ribbons.

For motoring the snug "Poke" shapes will be universally popular. We are at present featuring these shapes in all Paisley and in Paisley with straw combinations.

"Grey" is one of the strong new colors, while "Black" is particularly charming in larger sizes.

We specialize in hats from $5.00 to $10.00 in price.

OF SPECIAL INTEREST

MEN'S TWO PANT SUITS

This line represents one of the outstanding values and models of 1923. Made of a Donegal Tweed in a Fawn Mixture, two button, single breasted coat, lower patch pockets with flap, two outside breast pockets with flap and button, half belt, centre vent extends to waist, half lined. Vests are fairly high cut and five button. Trousers are made with channel for belt, plain or cuff, and have five good strong pockets. Specially priced at $30.00 for suit and extra trousers.

Same model and material as above in a Grey Mixture, with extra bloomers. $30.00 for suit and extra bloomers.

GABARDINE SHOWER COATS

Preferred by many men because of their usefulness as shower-proof coats and light weight types. Obtainable in a Fawn shade, cut in the slip-on style, yoke lined and through the sleeves. Priced at $22.50 and $24.50. Sizes 34 to 42.

FLOOR OILCLOTH AND LINOLEUM

Our stock is now complete for the spring trade. This is the year that the factory has changed the pattern and we think the designs are a great improvement on the old ones. The Floor Oilcloth comes in 1 yard, 1½ yard, 2 yards, and 2½ yards wide and the price is 50c. per square yard. See our 3 and 4 yard Linoleum at $1.00 per square yard, guaranteed the good kind.

NO LOVELIER OR MORE WEARABLE DRESSES COULD BE MADE THAN THOSE TO BE FOUND IN OUR PRESENT SPRING STOCKS

Customers, enthusiastic with the styles, materials and colorings of our present collection of dresses, have expressed themselves in no uncertain tones.

The present season, gay with color, also finds much variation in style. Straight-line frocks are popular, tier-skirts are decidedly new, while our first shipment of hand-made French frocks show much colorful embroidery. Lace insertion, fine pin tucks, drapes, panels and beautiful ornaments are used collectively and individually for trimmings. Two-colored combinations are fashionable, usually the skirt is plain with bodice of colored paisley.

"Price" one of the leading considerations from a buyer's viewpoint, is well taken care of. Indeed you will be surprised at our values.

Dresses at $19.50, $24.50, $27.50, $30.00, $32.50, $37.50 and $40.00 are truly wonderful.

All the various Crepe weaves are obtainable.

Biege, Brown, Carmel, Bobolink, Navy, Henna, Black are leading shades.

All sizes.

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Ginghams and Chambrays come in shades of Green, Sky, Blue, Pink, Tan and Mauve, the patterns are checks and plaids, the prices run at 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60, 65, $1.00 and $1.25 yd.

At 20c. yd., 25 in. wide Gingham in small checks and plaids, the shades are Pink, Sky and Black.

At 25c. yd., 27 in. Ginghams come in various size checks and plaids in shades of Pink, Black, Sky, Green, Mauve and Tan

At 30c. yd., 27 in. wide Chambrays and Ginghams in all the popular shades as Pink, Sky, Green, Mauve, Tan and Yellow. In Ginghams the patterns are checks and plaids.

At 35c. yd., 32 in. wide, Ginghams in the popular size checks and plaids, the shades are Pink, Sky, Green, Tan and Mauve.

At 40c. yd., 32 in. plain shades to match the above patterns.

At 45c. yd., 31 in. wide Anderson's Scotch Zephyrs in the popular checks and plain shades of Pink, Rose, Yellow, Blue, Tan, Green and Mauve, this is superior fabric.

At 60c. yd., 38 in., a special fine Zephyr in small checks only, the shades are Cadet, Green, and Mauve.

32 in. wide, Tissue Gingham is a very dainty wash fabric, come in over-checks, in Sky and Tan and Rose and Blue, at 65c. yd.

Duro Dye Fadeless Fabrics that will stand the sun and washing, is a very high grade Zephyr, comes in plain shades of Mauve, Cadet, Pink, also checks of Blue and White, and Yellow and White, extra wide width, 40 in. wide, priced at $1.25 yd.

Duro Dye Shirting Zephyrs 31 and 32 in. wide, come in stripe patterns in shades of Blue, Grey, Mauve and Grey, at 40c. and 60c. yd. The ideal fabric for shirts or shirt waists.

We can supply you with neck bands in sizes 14, 14½, 15, 15½, 16 and 16½ at 15c. each or 2 for 25c.

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SILK AND WOOL STOCKINGS, $2.00 and $2.25 pair.

Extra fine silk and wool in fancy ribb or plain knit, shades are Camel, Bamboo, and Brown, sizes 8 to 10.

PURE THREAD SILK HOSE, $2.50, $2.25, $2.00 and $1.80 pr.

Women's first quality pure thread silk stockings in extra heavy weight, seamed back and lisle thread garter welt, color Black, sizes 8½ to 10. Price $2.50 pair.

Thread silk stockings with mercerized lisle top, in plain weave or with hand embroidered clocked ankle, reinforced heel, toe and sole. Black, White, Suede, Seal Brown, Russian Brown, sizes 8½ to 10. Price $2.25 pair.

Women's pure silk hose, with flare top, seamed back, spliced heel and toe, seamless feet, colors Black, Suede, White, Dark Brown and Russian Brown, Navy, Grey. Price $2.00 pr.

Brown and Black with embroidered silk clocks, price $2.00 pair.

Fine quality pure silk, with deep ribbed elastic lisle top, without seam, extra spliced heels and toes, double sole, Black and Brown, sizes 8½ to 10, Price $1.89 pair.

MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE, 95c., 75c., 59., 50c. pair.

Women's Mercerized Lisle Hose with wide ribb, plain knit feet, in the new spring shades, Polo, Cocoa, Grey and Brown, sizes 8½ to 10, Price 95c. pair.

Fancy drop stitch lisle hose, full fashioned, wide top reinforced heel, toe and sole, Brown, Sand Grey, Price 75c.

Plain mercerized lisle hose with wide garter hem, full fashioned and seamless, extra spliced heels and toes, Grey Camel and Blue Heather Mixtures, Price 59c. pair.

Plain mercerized lisle hose, good quality to wear, wide hem at top with seam down the back, spliced heels and toes, Black, White, Brown, 50c. pair.

OIL OPAQUE WINDOW SHADES

We are just placing in stock fifteen dozen plain oil shades, 37 in. by 72 in. in Dark Green, Light Cream and White colors. Mounted on hartshorn guaranteed rollers, the celebrated Hees make. We secured this lot at a very special price and we are going to pass them along to our customers at the low price of 98c. each. Made from the same stock as we sold all last season for $1.45 each. We are congratulating ourselves in being able to get this lot at such an opportune time and at such a popular price.

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